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Doctors protest over 'casual' Ebola screening

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Doctors yesterday criticised Ebola screening at the country's entry points, describing it as "casual".

The Kenya Medical Association demanded that screening measures

be tightened at the Jomo Kenyatta International Airport and all border points to ensure that the deadly Ebola virus does not gain entry into the country.

The medics' response came as Kenya Airways announced it will continue flights into Ebola-hit countries in West Africa, on the

advice of the government and international agencies.

President Uhuru Kenyatta supported KQ's position and ordered Kenyan doctors to be sent to West Africa to take part in the screening of passengers before boarding.

On Wednesday, the WHO said Kenya was at a heightened risk of

transmission because it handles more than 70 flights from West Africa every week. Ebola was taken to Nigeria by one air passenger on July 25. So far Nigeria has reported three deaths and more than 10 infections in Lagos, a bustling city

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PROPERTY | Agreement between colonial administration and the Mazrui family blamed for the problem

New Bill seeks to give squatters public land

Land agency plans to use law to convert land in the hands of State to community land

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Most government land could end up in the hands of squatters if a new law is passed.

The National Land Commission plans to use the Community Lands Bill, now before Parliament, to convert all land in the hands of the government at the Coast to community land.

This, the commission hopes, will make it easier for locals to gain access to that land.

Commissioner Clement Lenachuru thinks the squatter problem is due to an agreement between the British and the Mazrui family, which classified most of the land at the Coast as public land, putting it in the hands of the government.

The agreement, he argued yesterday, rendered Coast people squatters on their own land. "Land matters in the Coast region are complicated because the whole land was considered to be public land through the Mazrui agreement with the British government, so everybody in the region was considered a squatter," he said.

Mr Lenachuru was speaking in Hola Town after the launch of a stakeholders' forum on responsible land and natural resource governance in communal lands of Kenya.

Land is a key problem at the Coast, with the recent spate of killings in Mpeketoni in Lamu County and Tana River seen as linked to it.

The government recently revealed that 22 companies were allocated

500,000 acres in the Lapsset corridor. President Kenyatta directed the Ministry of Lands and the National Land Commission to revoke the title deeds, sparking a war between the Jubilee administration and Cord Coalition, which came out to defend former Lands minister James Orengo.

Yesterday, Mr Lenachuru said the Bill would help to give public land back to the communities to resolve the squatter problem and help restore peace and security in the region.

He said the proposed Community Land Bill stated that public land could be converted to community land either by allocation by the commission or by legislation of the national government.

Fresh survey

"That is why we have started a systematic way of converting public land into communal holding to restore it to the communities; we shall undertake adjudication, survey it and then allocate it to individuals or communities," he said.

The Bill seeks to establish a legislative framework and procedures which will recognise, protect and register community land rights.

"The Bill aims to establish procedures for vesting in and holding of community land on the basis of ethnicity, culture or similar interests," it states.

The Bill further says that unregistered community land will be held in trust by county governments.

The announcement by the National Land Commission came ahead of a meeting called by Tana River Governor Hussein Dado on August 24.



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The number of companies allocated 500,000 acres of land in the Lapsset corridor

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We have initiated a systematic way of converting the public land into communal land to restore it to the communities”

NLC commissioner Clement Lenachuru

Local leaders had stopped land surveyors sent by Lands Cabinet Secretary Charity Ngilu from demarcating land to allow for consultations.

Mrs Ngilu will meet the leaders to start the surveying and mapping of land in the region and then issue title deeds in October.

Mr Dado said locals would lay claim to a number of ranches, including those owned by the Tana River Development Authority.

Lands Cabinet Secretary Charity Ngilu addresses journalists at Ar-dhi House in Nairobi on August 1.

FILE | NATION

Uhuru and Ruto to tour Coast region

BY NATION REPORTER

President Uhuru Kenyatta and Deputy President William Ruto are expected at the Coast this weekend.

President Kenyatta (right) will host winners in the just-concluded Kenya National Schools Music Festival at State House, Mombasa County and later open a conference hall at Kaskaz Beach Resort in the South Coast.

It will be Mr Kenyatta's first visit at the Coast since he nullified title deeds of 500,000 acres in Lamu.

The Deputy President is expected to make a whirlwind tour of the region on Saturday and Sunday where he will preside over harambees for women in Malindi, Kilifi County, and tour development projects.

Mr Ruto's visit will focus mainly on Malindi and some areas in Tana River County where Lands Cabinet Secretary Charity Ngilu is expected to be next week for a meeting with



leaders over land matters.

On Saturday morning, Mr Ruto will commission the Kadzandani water project, lay a foundation stone for a dormitory at Majenjeni Secondary School before travelling to Malindi where he will inspect the airport which is earmarked for expansion.

He will also attend a thanksgiving rally at Alaskan Grounds and then preside over a harambee.

It will be his second harambee for women in Kilifi County after another last month which he also presided over.

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ANALYSIS | Macharia Gaitho

Why Gichangi's exit is not surprising

Intelligence chief has come under pressure owing to a series of unexplained terror attacks since last year

Though no clear reason was given for the sudden resignation of Major-General Michael Gichangi as Director-General of the National Intelligence Service, it has been apparent for some time that Kenya's top spy was under pressure.

The security challenges that the country has faced over the past year with the upsurge in terrorism — notably the Westgate Mall attack in Nairobi last September and a series of bombings and grenade attacks in Nairobi and Mombasa — and still unexplained outbreaks of violence such as the killings in Lamu have raised public questions on the intelligence service's effectiveness.

The security situation has brought to the public eye unprecedented squabbles between the security services.

The Westgate attack that killed some 70 people nearly a year ago after a four-day siege sparked a public blame game and turf wars between Gen Gichangi's National Intelligence Service, the Kenya Defence Forces commanded by the increasingly influential Gen Julius Karangi, and the National Police Service led by Inspector-General David Kimaiyo.

With questions being asked in Parliament and elsewhere about glaring security failures, the usually secretive spy service took the unusual step of letting it be publicly known that it had given advance intelligence information to the police on the likelihood of an impending attack, but the advice was ignored.

A similar scenario was repeated following the Lamu killings when information was again let out that intelligence advisories ahead of the attacks were not acted on.

In the meantime, Gen Karangi, the military commander, seems to have supplanted the intelligence chief as President Uhuru Kenyatta's most trusted security advisor.



Police restore calm in Mpeketoni, Lamu, after about 80 people were killed in an attack in June. The National Intelligence Service said it had given police information regarding the impending raid.

In the statement announcing Gen Gichangi's resignation, President Kenyatta praised the intelligence chief for

70

The people killed in the Nairobi Westgate attack last year

his commitment, dedication, professionalism and distinguished service, but cited only unspecified "personal grounds" as reason for the surprise resignation.

That it was announced as resignation rather than retirement might probably be a clear sign that Gen Gichangi, who enjoys security of tenure, vacated office prematurely in circumstances that beg closer scrutiny.

As chief of the National Intelligence

Service, the former Kenya Airforce fighter pilot who previously served in military intelligence and as head of the then National Counter-terrorism Centre, has had to withstand some political pressure since the Jubilee coalition government of President Kenyatta and Deputy President William Ruto came to office in April last year.

From early on, Mr Ruto's key supporters in the URP wing of the ruling coalition led by Kericho Senator Charles Keter launched a loud campaign against the intelligence chief and other key security figures inherited from President Mwai Kibaki's regime. The cause was later taken up by rebellious Nandi Hills MP Alfred Keter.

Their grouse was that Gen Gichangi, together with figures such as National Security PS Mutea Iringo (who now

moves to the ministry of Defence), Secretary to the Cabinet Francis Kimemia and State House advisor Nancy Gitau had in 2008 submitted evidence to the International Criminal Court that was used to indict Mr Ruto in the crimes against humanity charges arising out of the post-election violence.

The Uhuru-Ruto machinery also had further reason to discredit Gen Gichangi. They believed that he was one of the key authors of the pre-election manoeuvres that sought to edge Mr Kenyatta out of the Kibaki succession race on account of the ICC cases and prop up former Vice-President Musalia Mudavadi in his stead.

The move came unstuck when Mr Kenyatta, after initially appearing to give way to Mr Mudavadi, recanted his decision and stepped spectacularly back into the campaign.

BRIEFLY

NAIROBI

Voter challenges Kuria election in Gatundu

A voter has moved to court to challenge the election of Mr Moses Kuria as the Gatundu South MP. Mr Patrick Michuki says the electoral commission failed the Gatundu South people by not investigating claims that Mr Kuria's sole rival, Mr Kiarie Kamere, was prevailed upon to step down amid reports that he and his family had visited State House. Mr Michuki says in papers filed at the High Court yesterday that as a result, the electorate of Gatundu South, including him were denied their right to choose their leader due to the influence of the president.

NAIROBI

Lobby opposes bid to remove ICT minister



A consumer federation has opposed a petition by the Information and Communication Technologies Association to remove ICT Cabinet Secretary Fred Matiang'i (above) for alleged incompetence. Instead, they want the minister to employ lawyers and experts who will advise him on ICT matters, saying his leadership style is crippling the ministry. In a statement, the Consumers Federation of Kenya said the ICT association erred in sending a second petition to Parliament and called for its withdrawal. "Dr Matiang'i's stewardship of the ICT ministry is the problem. It is more of a systemic failure than that of an individual," they said.

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OUTBREAK | Kenya Airways resists pressure to abandon West African routes

Doctors criticise 'casual' airport and border checks

Isolation wards set up at Kenyatta hospital not enough to handle threat, warn medics

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Ebola was taken to Nigeria by one air passenger on July 25. So far Nigeria has reported three deaths and more than 10 infections in Lagos, a bustling city of 20 million.

Yesterday, the President sought to widen the scope of Ebola surveillance by reaching out to Uganda, Ethiopia and Rwanda to work together to stop the spread of the lethal killer which has claimed the lives of more than 1,000 people in Sierra Leone, Guinea, Liberia and Nigeria.

Guinea has declared Ebola an emergency as more flights to the region were cancelled in the face of the panic caused by the incurable disease.

Yesterday KMA chairman, Dr Elly Opot complained that the ongoing screening measures at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport have remained "casual" and there is need to have tighter measures.

"It is a matter of great concern that the World Health Organisation (WHO) has just classified Kenya as a high risk transmission zone given the casualness at JKIA and other ports of entry. Preventive measures will be key," Dr Opot said.

Dr Opot — who was with vice-chairperson, Dr Elizabeth Wala and Nairobi Division chairman, Dr Abdi Mohamed — emphasised the need for improved

public awareness and greater investment in protective gear for health workers.

"We want to question if the 30 isolation beds set up at Kenyatta National Hospital are really enough. That and the 100 health workers who have been trained on Ebola in a country of this size, for sure that is not enough," he added.

Meanwhile, Public Health Society of Kenya (PHSK) chairman, Dr Peter Cherutich, also urged the Government to intensify screening at appropriate ports of entry.

He called for a public information campaign telling Kenyans about the symptoms of Ebola and how to prevent infection.

"This would avoid the misconceptions and myths circulating in various social media at the moment," he explained, adding that WHO should speed up access to the experimental drugs for African countries.

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We want to question if the 30 isolation beds set up at Kenyatta are enough for a country of this size”

Dr Elly Opot



JENNIFER MUIRURI | NATION

Kenya Medical Association chairman Dr Elly Opot addresses journalists yesterday.

The WHO yesterday issued a statement clarifying that Kenya was not among Ebola affected countries as had been portrayed by sections of the media. The *Daily Nation*, however, was correct in its reflection of the statement which said Kenya and other African countries were in category two which means they are a high risk area of transmission.

At JKIA, Health Cabinet Secretary James Macharia said two medical specialists will this morning be sent to Liberia and Freetown in West Africa to gather more facts on the disease. "We have to be sure by having facts from the source. We are sending those two doctors there for additional reassurance that we can actually rely on information coming from that place," he said.

The government, he added, had formed a crisis management committee to handle complaints and challenges of screening passengers. The 12-member team is led by Kenya Airports Authority chief Lucy Mbugua and includes members from Kenya Airways, Ministry of Health, Immigration department and the Interior Ministry.

The announcement by Mr Macharia followed pressure from medics, politicians and the general public over the way the government was handling measure to prevent Ebola from reaching the country. The airline's chief executive Titus Naikuni told reporters that KQ would not suspend flights because international organisations and the government had said it was safe

to fly to the Ebola-hit countries. "In view of the advice, the management of Kenya Airways does not see a major risk that warrants stopping operations.

This means we will continue with our flights while reviewing the position on a daily basis," he said. Responding to concerns as to whether KQ was focusing on its own financial health at the expense of the safety of the whole country, Mr Naikuni agreed that the revenue the airline gets from its 44 weekly flights to West Africa was significant but added that it could not make up for a quarter of the earnings from its entire fleet.

"Kenya Airways is a responsible corporate citizen. We will not in anyway put this country to danger either by our operations or through collusion," he said.

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OUTBREAK | President rolls out a series of measures to check spread of contagion

Guinea declares Ebola emergency

Hard-hit West African nations await shipments of experimental vaccine recommended by WHO to contain infections

FREETOWN, SIERRA LEONE, Thursday

Guinea declared a “health emergency” on Wednesday due to an Ebola outbreak that has killed 377 people in the nation. This came amid cancellation of more flights from hard-hit west African countries as the region awaited shipments of experimental vaccine. Guinean President Alpha Conde announced a series of measures including strict controls at border points, travel restrictions and a ban on transportation of bodies from one town to another until the epidemic was contained. In addition, all suspected victims will automatically be hospitalised until they are cleared of infection, Mr Conde said. As the region scrambled to halt the spread of the virus, Gambia suspended all flights from Guinea, Liberia and Sierra Leone, according to a transport ministry document obtained by AFP Wednesday. The death toll in the worst epidemic of Ebola since its discovery



SIMON MAINA | AFP
Health workers help travellers to fill in medical forms before screening them as they arrive at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport yesterday. Guinea has declared a ‘health emergency’ in the country in a bid to check spread of Ebola.

four decades ago climbed to 1,069 Wednesday, according to the World Health Organisation which said 56 people had died in two days. Nearly 2,000 have now been infected. Canada’s Health Minister Rona Ambrose said between 800 to 1,000 doses of a vaccine called VSV-EBOV, which has shown promise in animal research but never been tested on humans, would be distributed through the WHO. Positive early results Hard-hit nations were also anxiously awaiting a consignment of up to 1,000 doses of the barely-tested drug ZMapp from the US, which has raised hopes of saving hundreds infected

with the disease. The virus has hit doctors hard in the ill-equipped and fragile health systems of the worst-affected nations of Guinea, Liberia and Sierra Leone. Liberia is trying to save the lives of two infected doctors and is hoping that the ZMapp serum, which has shown positive early results, arrives in time. Sierra Leone’s health ministry spokesman Sidi Yahya Tunis told AFP the country had officially requested a shipment of the drug as the nation lost its second top doctor to the virus. The death of Dr Modupeh Cole, a senior physician in the capital Freetown, came just two weeks after the

country’s only virologist and leading Ebola expert, Umar Khan, died of the tropical disease. There is currently no available cure or vaccine for Ebola, which the WHO has declared a global public health emergency, and the use of experimental drugs has stoked a fierce debate. The WHO has declared it is ethical to try largely untested treatments “in the special circumstances of this Ebola outbreak”. In Nigeria three people have died in the megacity of Lagos. A nurse who contracted the virus at a hospital there broke a quarantine order and travelled to the eastern part of the country, raising fears of new infections outside the city.(AFP)

Canadian firm offers new drug

MONTREAL, Thursday

Canadian laboratory Tekmira is in contact with the World Health Organisation and government agencies over the possible use of its experimental Ebola drug in West Africa, the company said yesterday. The epidemic has claimed more than 1,000 lives, mainly in Sierra Leone, Liberia and Guinea, but has no proven cure or vaccine, prompting authorities to consider experimental options to stem the outbreak. Tekmira has been in touch with regulatory authorities to evaluate “options for use of our investigational drug within accepted clinical and regulatory protocols,” the company said in a statement. To that end, Tekmira is holding “discussions with government agencies and NGOs, including the WHO, in various countries on the potential use of TKM-Ebola to treat Ebola virus infected individuals.” The Canadian company developed TKM-Ebola under a \$140 million contract with the US Defence Department. The laboratory is currently conducting phase-one clinical trials on non-infected people. Tests on monkeys have shown the drug provided 100 per cent protection from an otherwise lethal dose of Ebola, the company said. (AFP)

Kenya Airways told to halt flights

BY NATION REPORTER

Kenya Airways was told by MPs yesterday to immediately suspend its flights to West African countries affected by Ebola. MPs speaking in the House yesterday accused the government and Kenya Airways of treating the threat to the country casually and exposing citizens to a dangerous virus. The committee on Transport, Housing and Public Works revealed that it has summoned the airline’s management to appear before it on Monday for questioning in relation to the Ebola threat. “We want to know what steps they have taken,” Vice Chairperson Mahamud Maalim said.



Chairpersons of House committees on Health, Administration and National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations and Budget and Appropriations spoke in one voice, demanding that the airline stop flying to the Ebola-hit areas. “Kenya Airways should stop exposing our people to a virus that is difficult to deal with,” the chairman of the Budget and Appropriations Committee Mutava Musyimi (below) said. The matter was raised in the House by Aldai MP Cornelly Serem who demanded that the government tells Kenyans the safety measures that it has put in place. He questioned the state of preparedness of the country in case of an outbreak and why the airline was still flying to West Africa. The matter generated great interest, prompting the Deputy Speaker Dr Joyce Laboso to allow the MPs to discuss the matter. The chairman of the Administration and National Security committee Asman Kamama said it was a matter of national security. “Ebola is lethal and can cause extensive damage. We want Kenya Airways to stop flying to Gabon, Sierra Leone and Liberia,” a said.



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REFERENDUM | Team has added a new proposal to separate the presidential from parliamentary elections

Raila: Poll plans on course after IEBC nod

Campaign preparing petition to be signed by at least a million voters

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“We have met the requirement by the IEBC in as far as compliance with the referendum procedures are concerned”

Cord leader
Raila Odinga

The Okoa Kenya campaign for a referendum went a notch higher after its team of experts agreed with the electoral commission on the procedures towards a poll and the issues which will be put to the people.

Cord leader Raila Odinga said yesterday that the team led by lawyer Paul Mwangi was preparing the issues which would be published in a form that will be used to collect at least one million signatures required to trigger a referendum to be conducted by the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission.

Mr Odinga said booklets outlining the issues would be circulated nationally for voters to sign a petition in favour of the proposed referendum, being called to save Kenya “failures of the Jubilee administration”.

“We have met the requirement by the IEBC in as far as compliance with the referendum procedures are concerned. Our team of experts discussed with the IEBC yesterday (Wednesday) and agreed on the issues which

we will take to the public when collecting signatures,” the former Prime Minister told *Nation* in a telephone interview.

The *Nation* also learnt that the referendum secretariat had added a new proposal to separate presidential elections from parliamentary elections. The issues listed earlier were protecting devolution, disbanding of the IEBC, inclusivity and equality in public service appointments, land reform, corruption, and insecurity.

“They are now putting those issues into forms which will be signed by the people. The requirement is that the people have to know exactly the issues that are at stake when signing,” Mr Odinga said.

Distributing booklets

The Opposition leader was speaking a day after the referendum campaign brought on board fellow 2013 presidential candidates Martha Karua and Peter Kenneth, former Ethics and Governance Permanent Secretary John Githongo and renowned paleontologist and conservationist Richard Leakey.

“Next week, we will be distributing the booklets throughout the country; in counties, constituencies and wards in readiness for the referendum. We are unstoppable,” he said.

The Okoa Kenya strategists are



Cord principals Moses Wetang'ula (left), Raila Odinga (centre) and Kalonzo Musyoka at Ufungamano House in Nairobi during the launch of the one-million-signatures campaign on Wednesday.

considering proposals that could see the cumbersome six-in-one General Election format broken into two, with Presidential, Governor and Ward elections held before the Parliamentary polls.

The proposals could shift the 2017 election calendar to create room for two separate polls.

SunaEast MP Junet Mohammed, who is part of the team working on the issues to be included in the draft Bill being processed by the Okoa Kenya Movement's committee of experts, confirmed that he was the author of the proposal to separate the presidential and parliamentary elections.

“The issue of holding six elections in one day is a major concern. It caused confusion and we in Cord have decided to review it,” Mr Mohammed said.

Separate election

In the last elections, Kenyans elected the President, governors, senators, members of the National Assembly, including Women Representatives, and Members of County Assemblies all in one poll.

If the proposal is adopted, the President, governors and MCAs will be elected on one day, while senators and MPs will be elected on a separate election.

Yesterday, the referendum campaign committee of experts was held up in a day-long meeting to design national and regional structures that will coordinate its operations.

“We will give details of the signature collection exercise in a day or two,” Mr Mwangi said.

President Kenyatta and his deputy William Ruto have dismissed the call for a referendum and urged the opposition to give them time to deliver on their pledges.

Vote a secondary issue, says Duale

BY NATION
CORRESPONDENTS

National Assembly Majority Leader Aden Duale has dismissed the call for a referendum by the Opposition, saying it was against the interest of Kenyans.

Mr Duale said the government was focusing on its “social contract” with the electorate.

He said the referendum push was a secondary issue and told Cord to instead focus on service delivery to Kenyans.

“As a coalition, we have a social contract, which is the manifesto. A referendum is a secondary issue to us,” he said.

The legislator was addressing lawyers during the annual Law Society of Kenya conference at Leisure Lodge Resort in Kwale County.

“Each stakeholder has a pertinent question, and as we approach this issue of a referendum, we need to think critically and decide whether we need it now or later,” he said.

At the same time, Mr Duale also stated that there was no conflict between the three arms

of government as perceived by members of the public.

This was in line with the theme of the lawyers’ conference — “Spirit of the law: Constitutional tension between the three arms of government.”

LSK chairman Eric Mutua said the society had not taken any position on the issue.

President Kenyatta has also opposed a referendum. His government took power less than two years ago.

The President said in the US last week that the Opposition push for a vote was a call to waste public funds on an unnecessary issue.

Mr Kenyatta said the implementation of some issues that the Opposition wanted amended in the Constitution began after his government came to power.

Hunt on for next election agency boss

BY NATION REPORTER

The Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission yesterday announced it had begun looking for a replacement of suspended CEO James Oswago.

The IEBC said Mr Oswago was free to apply for the position notwithstanding the corruption charges facing him.

“The recruitment of the Commission Secretary/CEO position has nothing to do with the fact that Mr Oswago and other senior officials are facing court charges. Indeed, Mr Oswago is eligible to reapply for the position,” said the polls agency’s Communications and Corporate Affairs manager, Tabitha Mutemi in a statement.


The charges facing Mr Oswago relate to the procurement of poll kits valued at Sh1.3 billion.

The search for the new CEO comes at a time the IEBC is facing serious integrity questions with the Coalition for Reforms and Democracy (Cord) calling for its disbandment.

Matters were made worse recently when a special audit by the Auditor-General found both Mr Oswago and IEBC chairman Isaack Hassan culpable in the procurement of biometric voter registration kits.

The commission is also choking under the weight of a Sh4.6 billion debt owed to providers of equipment and services relating to the 2013 general elections.





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BENEFITS | Interest shot up from the initial Sh3.4b

Retired teachers set to be paid Sh42bn

Lengoiboni moves to court to evade jail and tells judge he is processing payments

BY ERIC MATARA
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Retired teachers will be paid Sh42.3 billion after their employer agreed to settle the debt yesterday. Teachers Service Commission secretary Gabriel Lengoiboni told the High Court in Nakuru that consultations between the commission and the Treasury were going on to release the funds. Mr Lengoiboni had moved to court to have a six-month civil jail threat imposed on him lifted following the commission's failure to pay. Lady Justice Hellen Omondi, however, dismissed a plea for a stay of the civil jail threat come August 16, saying it was necessary to force commission to pay the suffering teachers. "To make the commission pay the ex-teachers who sued

it in 2006, claiming unpaid lump sum salary increments and accrued pension from July 1997, the court dismisses the application," Justice Omondi ruled. The judge accused commission of 'feet-dragging' in the matter despite a 2006 High Court judgement that ruled in favour of the retirees.

16
Deadline date this month which Justice Emukule set for the Teachers Service Commission to pay the dues or have Mr Lengoiboni sent to jail for contempt of court.

Mr Lengoiboni, through his lawyer Alfred Stima, sought an extension of time to respond to the teachers' plea to have their salary arrears and pensions reviewed upwards according to the 1997 teachers-government negotiations. The civil jail order was imposed on May 16, by High Court Judge Anyara Emukule who gave Mr Lengoiboni a 90

grace period to pay up or be sent to prison to serve a six-month sentence for contempt of court. The initial sum was Sh3.4 billion, which is part of the unpaid pension for thousands of retired teachers budgeted for in the 2011/2012 financial year but this has risen to Sh42.3 billion due to interest accruing at current court rates. Justice Emukule's order requires that the Inspector-General of Police David Kimaiyo to arrest and send Mr Lengoiboni to Kamiti Maximum Prison if he fails to release the money by Saturday this week. With the grace period expiring on Saturday August 16 next week, Mr Lengoiboni filed documents in court, stating he has been holding meetings with the Treasury, the Controller of Budget, the Auditor-General and the Parliamentary Committee on Education to resolve the issue. Documents were presented in court showing consultations on ways of paying the retired teachers.

FESTIVAL | Finalists' concert



ANTHONY NJAGI | NATION
Our Lady Queen of Peace pupils perform an oriental dance during the Kenya National Music Festival finalists concert at the Aga Khan Academy in Mombasa yesterday. **STORY AND OTHER PICTURES ON PAGE 24**

BRIEFLY

NAIROBI Forest protection campaigns to start

A plan to protect forest in all counties has been put in motion. According to the Principal Secretary Ministry of the Environment and Natural resources, Mr Richard Lesiyampe, this would involve policy planning, implementation and monitoring nationally and in the counties. "It is geared towards improving sustainable forest management," Mr Lesiyampe said yesterday in a speech read on his behalf by Conservation secretary Gideon Gathaara during a workshop at a Nairobi hotel.

NAIROBI Guard shot dead in failed night robbery

A watchman was shot dead when hooded gangsters raided the home of a senior manager yesterday. One of gangsters first shot Mr Denis Kibaara in the leg to immobilise him and after failed attempts to break two doors and three windows, another shot him in the head. The 26-year-old was killed 1am at Thome 5. It was the second attack in less than a year at the home of Mr Joshua Karani, the human resources director at AON Kenya. Last year, a gang waylaid his wife at the gate, and took valuables.

TIME	Morning tee off times			
6.30	PRO	PRO	PRO	S. Onyango
6.40	PRO	PRO	PRO	P. Mbugua
6.50	PRO	PRO	PRO	S. Deya
7.00	PRO	PRO	PRO	M. Oduor
7.10	PRO	PRO	PRO	S. Owuor
7.20	PRO	PRO	PRO	W. Odera
7.30	PRO	PRO	PRO	G. Obuon
7.40	PRO	PRO	PRO	B.V. Patel
7.50	PRO	PRO	PRO	K. Amalemba
8.00	PRO	PRO	PRO	F. Pesce
8.10	W. Nyambogo	R. Odinga	C. Mwallo	E. Manono
8.20	J. Onyango	F. Otieno	C. Aburi	C. Williams
8.30	T. Abol	J. Atito	A. Kombo	W. Ayienda
10.00	J. Obiero	J. Ashioya	D. Omori	S. Kurgat
10.10	S. Kotecha	C. Bitok	I. Ondieki	A. Omollo
10.20	B. Sokhi	R. Bhamra	R. Kiptalam	S. Opuka
10.30	B. Bhamra	D. Karia	K. Chandaria	J. Onyambu
10.40	P. Otieno	N. Orgut	J. Momanyi	S. Otiende

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 2. Elisha Kasuku - Professionals and starting
 3. David Odhiambo - Marshalling with PGK professionals form 1pm
 4. Visiting Clubs' Captains - Rules & Results
 5. IMG & KCB Staff - Protocol & Evening program

TIME	Afternoon tee off times			
10.50	N.M. Patel	S. Somaia	B. Bisonga	F. Koech
11.00	D. Katibi	P. Owino	J. Oketch	D. Tanui
11.10	A. Virani	N. Abbas	C. Langat	J. Waweru
11.20	C. Omega,	K. Watunu	C. Mainye	L. Nyambogo
11.30	E. Siganga	Proff. F. Otieno	S. Shah	R. Kurgat
11.50	T. See	C. Misango	D. Achila	J. Motanya
12.00	S. De laRey	R. Keter	J. Tarus	A. Alachu
12.10	R. Mulemi	G. Cheruiyot	D. Sambai	G. Ombito
12.20	C. Bii	K. Akokho	T. Murunge	D. Sum
12.30	A. Kirui	J. Koome	N. Metto	P. Russo
1.00	W. Barasa	C. Nganga	F. Wasike	R. Kwasu
1.10	R. Karia	M. Tanui	K. Akokho Jr	E. Owinyi
1.20	I. Brooker	C. Birgen	P. Jahazi	R. Obara
1.30	J. Omollo	J. Obiero	D. Chotai	W. Mctough
1.40	E. Ochudho	J. Pabari	M. Mbugua	E. Koech
1.50	P. Thakrar	D. Bieyegon	N. Winja	D.O. Ajulu
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INFRASTRUCTURE | Ministry says it is exploring alternative means of funding expansion

Mandera ‘has no tarmac road’

Report shows most paved roads are within the city and Kiambu County

BY MAZERA NDURYA
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Counties in northern Kenya have the lowest coverage of tarmacked roads while Nairobi and central Kenya take the lion's share of the 13,655.5km network countrywide.

A ministerial statement released in Parliament in response to Narok South MP Korei ole Lemein regarding development and roads infrastructure in the country showed that Mandera County does not have even a single kilometre of tarmac.

The statement was presented by the House departmental committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing and shows that Nairobi County has 1,654.2 kilometres of paved roads.

Kiambu County is second with 906.3km followed by Nakuru (847.8km). Marsabit County has only 2km of tarmacked roads.

No stalled projects

Mr Lemein had asked how many kilometres there were of all the classified roads in the country and how many were tarmacked.

He also wanted the ministry to provide a constituency/county list of tarmacked roads and another for ongoing projects.


There are 160,886km of public roads in the country of which 13,655.5km are paved, representing 8.1 per cent while a huge chunk of 147,882.2km is not tarmacked.

The report acknowledged slow pace of the ongoing road works in the country, but the ministry said there were no stalled projects under any of the authorities — the Kenya Urban Roads Authority, Kenya Rural Roads Authority and Kenya National Highways Authority.

According to ministry official PC Kilimo, representing the Infrastructure Principal Secretary, the government is exploring alternative means of funding road expansion.

Summary of Kenya's Road Network Distribution by road class

Item	Road class	Paved	Unpaved	Total
1	A, B, and C	7,161.7	6,909.3	14,071
2	D, E and others	3,504.50	130,761.5	134,266
3	Urban roads with cities and municipalities	2,337.6	10,211.4	12,549
Total		13,003.8	147,882.2	160,886



KEVIN ODIT | NATION

Work in progress on the Taveta-Mwatate road early this month. The tarmacking of the 90km road under the supervision of China Road Construction Company is expected to be completed in three years.

147,000

The length, in kilometres, of roads in the country that is not tarmacked.

“The pace of implementation of projects is expected to pick up”

Roads official PC Kilimo

“Delay in payment due to inadequate funding contributed to the slow pace of implementation in the 2013/2014 financial year. The pace of implementation of projects is expected to pick up as soon as funds are received for the 2014/2015 financial year,” said Mr Kilimo in the report.

He said the government was moving towards “creating linkages with road development partners and stakeholders with the aim of increasing funding for construction, rehabilitation and maintenance of roads in the country”.

Recently, the government

moved to have the private sector take the lead in the construction of roads in the country, starting with 10,000 kilometres in the next five years.

Transport and Infrastructure Cabinet Secretary Michael Kamau and his Treasury counterpart Henry Rotich said while announcing the plan that the government would in turn pay the contractors in eight years at regular intervals.

In the new arrangement, contractors will also take the role of designing, constructing and maintaining the roads while the government will give

specifications and approve the standards.

Mr Kilimo said the government was equally looking at effecting low procurement thresholds through consultative meetings with the Public Procurement Oversight Authority to review the standards for procurement of works.

The ministry is pushing for the utilisation of equalisation funds in marginalised areas, which have low coverage of paved road networks, for the construction of infrastructure.

SEE COMMENT ON PAGE 12

MPs dispute report on paved roads

BY NATION REPORTER

MPs have demanded a meeting with Transport and Infrastructure Cabinet Secretary Michael Kamau after they disputed his analysis of tarmacked roads per constituency.

The lawmakers also want the Cabinet Secretary to explain why funds given to constituencies for road construction were reduced from Sh20 million to Sh13 million.

They put Transport, Public Works and Housing Committee vice-chairman Mohamed Maalim Mahamud under pressure after he tabled the analysis showing the length, in kilometres, of paved roads per constituency and the total per county.

The list was particularly criticised by Mr Adan Keynan (Eldas, ODM) because it showed that his constituency had six kilometres of paved roads despite “the well-established fact” that tarmac in the former North Eastern Province ends at Garissa.

Infuriated

Mr Keynan was infuriated by the assertion and that neighbouring Tarbaj had 2.3 kilometres.

“To the best of my recollection of the Eldas that I know, we have never seen an inch of tarmac,” he said as he accused Mr Mahamud of not having scrutinised the document before taking it to the House.

“I believe this is falsified information that is meant to deceive members. Today, if my people hear that there is a six-kilometre tarmac road in Eldas, it must be in my pocket or in the imagination of the chairman.”

Others said the analysis clearly showed that road development had been unfair over the past 50 years.

“It is very clear that the road network distribution in the country is skewed in favour of certain areas in the country,” said Mr Opiyo Wanda (Ugunja, ODM).

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BRIEFLY

NAIROBI
Knec to be in charge of journalism tests
The Kenya National Examinations Council will now be in charge of setting and marking tests for journalism students across the country. It will do so in collaboration with the Media Council of Kenya (MCK). MCK official Victor Bwire said the curriculum was being validated by the Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development and the Technical and Vocational Education and Training Department.

MURANG'A
Two villagers killed by poisonous drink
Two people died after consuming illicit brew in Kenyoho village of Kandara, Murang'a County. They were among eight victims who taken to Gaichanjiru Catholic Mission hospital after drinking a mysterious alcoholic drink which was brought by one of their family members from Ruiru. The victims were reportedly gasping for breath and complained of headache and pains in the stomach.

EDUCATION | 10,000 tutors for primary and secondary schools set to be employed

Teacher hiring to be monitored

Employer invites groups to take part in recruitment in bid to curb graft

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The recruitment of 10,000 teachers next week could be monitored by a wide cross section of society. "The feedback will form the basis for future hiring," Teachers Service Commission secretary Gabriel Lengoiboni said. However, sources at the commission indicated that the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission was yet to express its interest in participating. Interviews for applicants are set to start on Friday next week after applications closed on August 11. In a press statement, Mr Lengoiboni said county directors would be required to

submit selection and recruitment documents to the commission's headquarters by August 29. He said the vetting would start at the headquarters on September 1 with posting of the new teachers starting on September 15. Mr Lengoiboni said to ensure the recruitment was above board, the commission had inducted all the 47 county directors to show a high degree of transparency. He said the officers would induct field officers and management boards before starting the recruitment. The commission secretary said elaborate and comprehensive guidelines had been issued to all county directors and field officers to guide them in the selection. "The guidelines have clearly

THE PROCESS

Interviews to start next week

- 1 Interviews for applicants start on August 22
- 2 County Directors submit selection and recruitment documents to TSC headquarters by August 29
- 3 Vetting by TSC headquarters start on September 1
- 4 Posting of successful candidates to schools to start from September 15.

explained the process and modalities to be used," he said. Mr Lengoiboni added that for the interest of openness, all applications will be registered and issued with serial numbers. He said that applicants will be informed in good time of the date to appear before the selection panel for verification of their identification, academic and professional documents. "In all cases, a list of all the applications received, the short-listed candidates, and the merit lists should be submitted to the commission headquarters after conclusion of the exercise," Mr Lengoiboni said. He added that the interviewing panel will also be required to act on any complaints raised by the applicants and or other stakeholders promptly and professionally.

NAIROBI
DPP's office delaying land case, says lawyer
The office of the Director of Public Prosecutions has been accused of delaying a case in which land brokers in Nairobi allegedly defrauded a company of Sh60 million. The file was recalled on May 7, 2012 before key suspects were charged with fraud but there has been no follow-up action since. Lawyer Stanley Kang'ahi yesterday termed investigations into the matter as unsatisfactory.

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KING SPRINGS

Report on NHC boss was altered, MPs told

BY NATION REPORTER

A report that recommended the suspension of the National Housing Corporation managing director Wachira Njuguna was altered even though a Parliamentary Committee had said he should not be sacked. MPs were yesterday told that the report prepared by the Inspector-General of State Corporations was changed to include a recommendation for his suspension. A senior director at the Inspector-General's office Mr Maingi I'noti told the Transport Committee that the team he chaired did not recommend the suspension of Mr Njuguna but only asked for a change in his style of management. The alteration was made after they submitted it and they only realised this after the director was suspended. The Acting Inspector-General of State Corporations Edward Ngigi was unable to explain how the report by his

office was altered. Starehe MP Maina Kamanda (below) who chairs the Transport, Public Works and Housing Committee demanded that the minutes of the meeting at which the report was received be tabled. "This committee will not allow an individual, not even a Cabinet Secretary to use their positions to intimidate and sack people they way they like," said Mr Kamanda. The two officials contradicted themselves in front of the legislators who questioned them on the grounds they used to suspend Mr Njuguna.



CORRUPTION | Officials to step down if charged

MPs approve stiffer penalties for graft

Changes made to law giving anti-graft agency sweeping powers to act against the vice

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Public officials will now have to step down and earn half salaries if they are charged with corruption.

This is after the National Assembly passed changes to the law giving the anti-corruption commission sweeping powers to act against the vice.

This will apply to Governors, cabinet secretaries and other public officials.

The MPs, however, shot down a harsher proposal in the anti-corruption Bill of life imprisonment and death sentences for those convicted in multi-million shilling deals.

The Judiciary will also be under pressure to hear and determine the cases within 24 months.

The National Assembly's resolutions will also get more power since public officers who are adversely mentioned in a report by a parliamentary committee will be suspended until investigations are complete.

The changes to the Anti-Corruption and Economic Crimes Act were proposed by Igembe South MP Mithika Linturi and

REACTION

Bid to stamp out the vice



"You cannot therefore support corrupt people and then support the robbers and murderers. If you don't like the death penalty, remove it against murderers"

Kiharu MP Irungu Kang'ata

endorsed by MPs.

At the same time, judges and magistrates have been given the power to deny suspects bail if they are convinced the person might disappear, interfere with witnesses or commit more crimes once released.

The proposal to have those involved in big corruption executed had been made by Kiharu MP Irungu Kang'ata, who wanted officials responsible for the loss of between Sh100 million and Sh1 billion of public funds jailed for life.

Mr Kang'ata also wanted of-

ficers whose actions lead to the loss of more than Sh1 billion handed the death sentence.

"I have looked at countries with best practices against corruption. China has the best case scenario and the Chinese have been very hard on corruption. Corruption has been the number one evil and this is the best remedy," said Mr Kang'ata.

He added that contrary to assertions about the death penalty, it remains in Kenya's statute books as robbers, murderers and treasonous characters are still subject to the sentence.

"So long as it is still there, you cannot therefore support corrupt people and then support the robbers and murderers. If you don't like the death penalty, remove it against murderers..." he said.

No crisis point

Mr Kang'ata argued that the effects of corruption are so profound that they end up killing innocent people.

But Mr Chachu Ganya (North Horr, ODM) and Mr Jamleck Kamau (Kigumo, TNA) opposed the proposal, saying it was retrogressive and Kenya had not yet reached a crisis point in corruption.

Justice and Legal Affairs Committee chairman Samuel Chepkong'a said the changes mean leaders such as governors would no longer be able to hide behind their election to escape justice.

STANDARDS | Work on site stopped



ERIC WAINAINA | NATION

A building at Ruaka in Kiambu County where work was stopped by the National Construction Authority after the developers used unregistered contractors. A week-long NCA operation to check on compliance ended yesterday.

BRIEFLY

NAIROBI

New Minority Whip pledges to unite MPs



New opposition whip Thomas Mwadeghu (above) yesterday said he would work to unite Coast MPs. "I have officially taken over the Minority Whip's office and will work tirelessly to push our agenda," said Mr Mwadeghu after assuming office yesterday. The Wundanyi MP took over from his Kilifi North counterpart Gideon Mung'aro, who was removed following claims he was too close to the Jubilee coalition. He dismissed reports that he had initially turned down the appointment. "I am committed to the party and I would not have refused a chance to serve it."

KIAMBU

Reps go back to school in new deal

At least 50 Kiambu County Assembly Members have enrolled for degrees in governance and public administration. This follows an agreement between the county assembly and Mount Kenya University to train them. Under the deal, MCAs and county staff would be offered degree courses while the university's students would be given field attachments in the county's institutions. "Of the more than 25 agreements we have signed, this is the best," said varsity vice-chancellor Stanley Waudu.



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DAILY NATION

Roads: We must focus on marginalised areas

A report tabled in Parliament confirms glaring disparities in the provision of road networks across the country.

The government report shows that counties in the traditionally marginalised areas of northern and eastern Kenya have the lowest coverage of tarmacked roads, while Nairobi and adjacent counties in central Kenya and parts of the Rift Valley have the densest coverage.

The vast Mandera County does not have a single kilometre of paved road, while the even larger Marsabit County has only two kilometres. This pales in comparison with much smaller counties that all have over 800km of all-weather roads.

Glaring inequality in the distribution of development resources is what engenders a sense of injustice, breeds resentment and ultimately works against efforts to make Kenya peaceful.

For a long time now, efforts towards national cohesion and integration have brought out the urgent need for fairer sharing of the national cake, and the need to pay special attention to regions that have been neglected in the past.

Large swathes of the country may be justified in feeling that they have been denied, not just roads, but also other forms of communications and utilities such as railway lines, telephone network, electricity supply and piped water. The same regions also suffer glaring lack of schools, hospitals and other social amenities.

These inequities were inherited from the colonial regime that concentrated resources in areas already being commercially exploited; but the post-colonial regimes also continued the policy of neglecting what were seen as low-potential areas.

Such policies are not sustainable, and we will only achieve national cohesion when these glaring imbalances are redressed.

Expand role of counties

The Constitution divided the responsibility of providing education between the National and county governments. Specifically, the National Government is responsible for primary, secondary, tertiary and university education, teacher management, curriculum development and examinations, while the counties are responsible for early childhood education, youth polytechnics and homecraft centres.

Thus, the role of counties is generally limited to certain aspects of education. However, a question has constantly been asked as to how else the counties can support the other levels of education, especially primary and secondary schools.

For example, it has been argued that the National Government can delegate some roles like providing infrastructure to schools. This is exactly the point Kisii Governor James Ongwae made when he presided over the inaugural education conference in the county this week.

The Council of Governors, through its education caucus, should take up this matter with the ministry and agree on how this can be effected.

Since county governments are concerned about the quality of education in their areas, they should play a more active role.

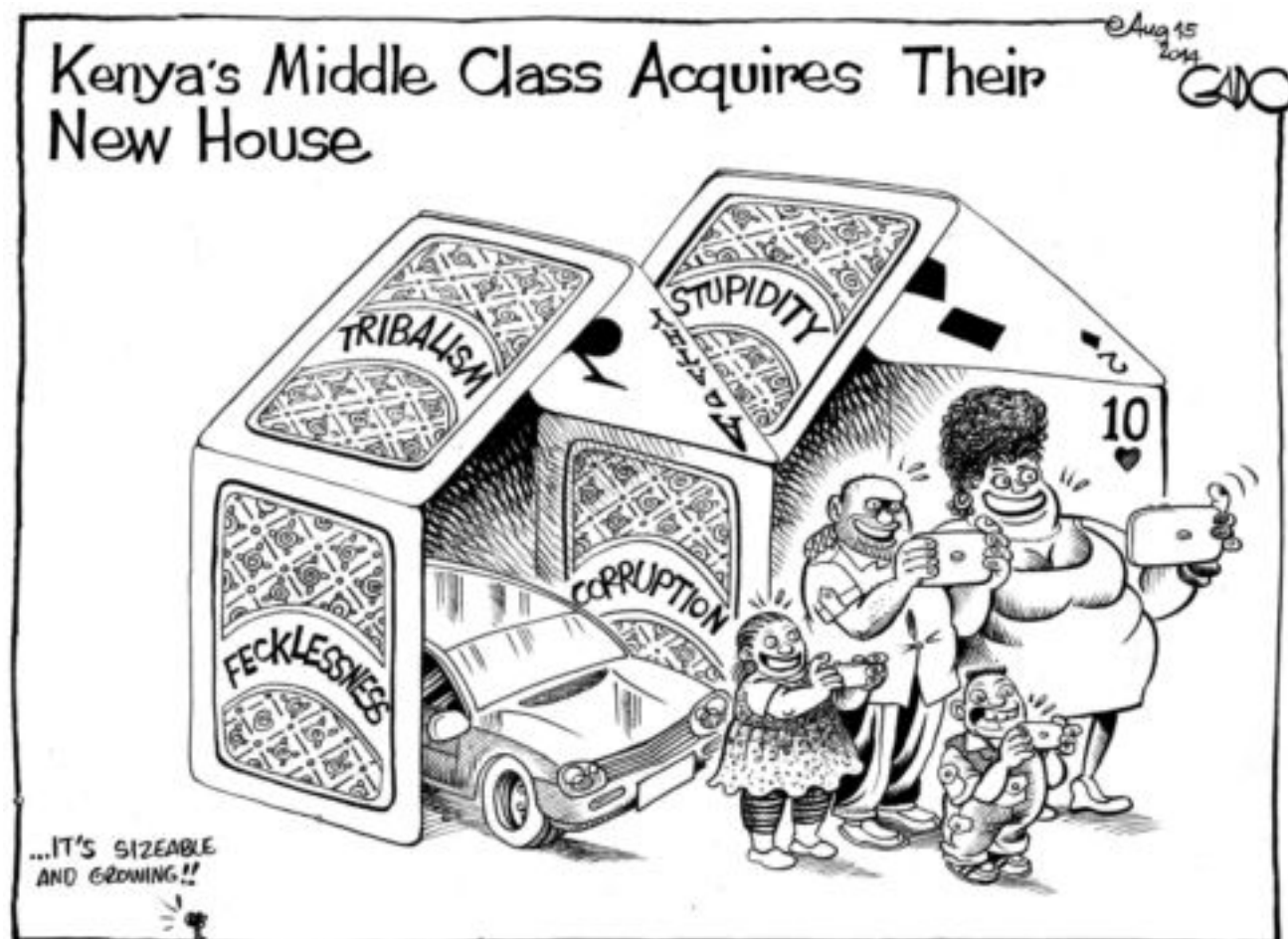
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LET'S GET ORGANISED | Mutuma Mathiu

Ministry of Health shouldn't have treated Ebola outbreak so casually

Sometimes Kenyans behave like a bunch of half-wits. There are things which are so important, one should attack them with resolute and unrelenting effort.

A good example is Ebola. This disease is easy to control and manage if you are well informed and rational. The most frightening thing about what we are seeing in West Africa is that people are ill-informed and irrational.

Take the example of Mr Sawyer who took the deadliest disease known to man to Africa's most populous nation. He knew he would infect others. When he arrived at the airport he was so sick he could barely stand. As a result, he has put in danger the lives of 150 million Nigerians.

In the villages of West Africa, people are still eating bats and chimpanzees, from which the virus is suspected to have come. And they won't stop because it is the food of their forefathers, they say. They also don't understand where the disease is coming from, so sometimes they blame health workers.

And they are scared, not knowing that your best chance of survival is not to hide but to get to hospital as soon as possible.

There are three key

reasons why Ebola, and diseases like it, deserve swift and ruthless action. First, they are a threat to our survival. Our society is disorderly, our healthcare and other systems weak. We have cultural practices, especially funeral rites and the treatment of patients, which create a fertile ground for its transmission. It can wipe out huge parts of our population.

Secondly, Ebola and diseases like it can spell economic devastation in communities which are already stressed. It costs money to deal with it.

Already, the Ministry of Health is going to spend half a billion shillings and the disease is not even here yet. So the nation's resources are likely to be diverted to fight it, the labour and bread-winners could be killed. And of course, once you have it in your country, the rest of the world quarantines you for their own protection. That

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destroys your economy.

There is an ever-present danger of breakdown of social order. Panic is never far from the surface when people's lives are threatened. Society is usually held together by a fairly thin thread. Mass hysteria and panic have the capacity to tear the fabric of society, as we have seen in those Hollywood disaster movies. So Ebola is a health, social, economic and national security priority. Kenya, touch wood, has not reported a single case of Ebola. The best defence is to keep it that way. But it takes concerted, disciplined and carefully planned action to lock out the virus. Which is why I couldn't understand why the Ministry of Health initially took such a casual approach to vetting people entering the country. I bet there is no organised vetting at land border crossings.

I'd say let's stop being stupid and for once think ahead. In the news business, I am required to be able to respond to a disaster every day. So I am a great believer in templating situations.

If there is a bomb attack, what do the 100 odd people on the team do? What specifically does each person go and find out? Similarly, the government should have a water-tight contagious disease response template bringing together

health workers and the armed services.

For a start, I think flying into the Ebola hot-zone in West Africa – Monrovia, Conakry and Freetown – is reckless. Secondly, there must be teams of doctors, nurses and security to subject passengers from West Africa to a proper medical examination before they are allowed on planes.

Thirdly, at the point of entry, there must be thorough medical examination and a planned follow-up routine for all from the affected areas.

Isolation facilities must be built at the airport. That nonsense about saying you will transport Ebola patients to Kenyatta National Hospital is like saying you will go to Majengo for a weekend of sex without a condom. How do you prevent contamination in transit?

Finally, it's all about public information: to teach people what to do and what not to do, when to panic and when not to panic. Now, I edit the biggest newspaper in East and Central Africa. No one has called to say they need help informing my readers how to stay safe. Please, is it possible to get organised? Even when our lives could be at risk?

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GENESIS OF RESENTMENT | Kiriro wa Ngugi

When middleman minorities go into politics, the results are often negative

Jews have historically been the classic middleman minority, to whom others have often been analogised: the overseas Chinese as “the Jews of Southeast Asia”, the Lebanese as “the Jews of West Africa”, the Ibos as “the Jews of Nigeria”, and in my last article, implied that the Kikuyu are “the Jews of Kenya”.

We presented a theory by Dr Thomas Sowell, gleaned from a worldwide perspective, that explains how the economic role that these groups play, essentially as middlemen in their respective countries, is at the core of the hatred and resentment they have aroused. Those who have responded to my article have made some important observations.

One of them pointed out that the Kenyan Asian group fits the “middleman minority” model much better than the Kikuyu. That is entirely true. But the Kikuyu are nonetheless an ethnic minority, albeit one that has taken a robust economic role characteristic of middleman minorities around the world.

However, the suggestion that the Asian community is immune to hatred and resentment is far-fetched. There is latent suspicion against them which a political demagogue can easily exploit, with devastating results.

Kenneth Matiba hinted at it once and his popularity soured. In Uganda, Idi Amin exploited it. He expelled all the



Premier Mahendra Chaudhry of Fiji was toppled after a year due to his Indian ancestry

Asians to great acclaim and support from locals. But, the Uganda economy subsequently collapsed and years later, the Asians were invited back.

Meantime, some of them, starting from scratch in England, working long hours in retail corner-shops and other middleman activities, became millionaires, to the consternation of British locals!

While some observers might regard such determination and resourcefulness as admirable and inspiring, to the vast majority of human beings, the rise of middleman minorities from poverty to prosperity has been like a slap on the face.

If accepted as an achievement, it raises the painful questions about those who have achieved nothing comparable, despite being initially more fortunate.

The second important

theme in response to my last article was a generalised drift into politics, raising debate on political activity by middleman minorities, and inviting me to comment on the prominent place of the Kikuyu vote in the ethnic arithmetic of our politics. Some intellectually naive respondents, however, chose to simply reject my “weird perspective”. For them, analogies between Kikuyu and Jews were utterly unacceptable!

For much of the history of Europe and the Islamic world, there was no place in positions of political authority for Jews. But in Australia, where Jews have never been as much as one per cent of the population, Jewish politicians have been mayors of Melbourne, Adelaide as well as other communities, obviously not as a result of the Jewish vote, much less as standard-bearers of ethnic group politics.

There has also been a Lebanese Prime Minister in Jamaica and a Peruvian president of Japanese ancestry. These posts were not achieved as a result of being ethnic political leaders.

Where middleman minorities are a major portion of the population such as in Fiji, Guiana, and Kenya, they have played a major political role. Even then, their economic rise and sustainability cannot be premised on their political prominence without serious

risks. History proves it.

In Guiana, Indian and black politicians formed a coalition to seek independence from Britain. The coalition later split into polarised ethnic group parties leading to internal disorder. In Fiji, the election of Indian Prime Minister Mahendra Chaudhry sparked a military coup led by indigenous Fijians.

The history of middleman minorities offers little support for those who see political power and ethnic identity politics as requirements for group economic advancement. In fact the reverse is true; middleman minorities have advanced more rapidly than other groups that have pursued political routes, even when those other groups have been successful in such political pursuits.

Kenyan Asians have done much, much better economically than the Kikuyu without pursuing group politics whatsoever. Thus it should be obvious Kikuyus' economic advancement and sustainability depends more on their thrift and work ethic than on ethnic group politics.

Equally true, where minorities become heavily involved in ethnic group politics, too often it does not lead to better economic outcomes for them.

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THE CUTTING EDGE

BY THE WATCHMAN

TRACK MY PHONE! What use is it having tracking devices on the mobile phone handsets sold by Safaricom, Airtel and Orange if the technology cannot be used to track down thieves? asks Judy Obam. Three years since her phone was stolen, she has been receiving messages from it, sometimes up to 10 times a day, and on asking Safaricom to help her out, she is referred to the manufacturer, LG. She has pleaded that the phone be disabled to no avail, despite involving the police. Its IMEI is No. 359240033763995. Her contact is juobam@yahoo.com.

CONVENTION CENTRE? Since he was in primary school some years ago, Frank Muya knew that the tallest building in Nairobi then, which was popularly known by the acronym, KICC, was the Kenyatta International Conference Centre. He has, therefore, been surprised to hear some people referring to it as the Kenyatta International Convention Centre, yet he does not remember mention of a change of name for the iconic building. When was it changed? asks Frank, whose contact is muyafrank@yahoo.com.



Sen. Orendo (centre) defending himself over Lamu land

ORENGO'S DEFENCE STRANGE. Former Lands minister James Orendo's spirited attempt to clear his name over irregular Lamu allocations is full of irony, says Paul Otieno. Quite intriguing, he adds, is that he claims to be in possession of a list of the individuals and organisations that illegally acquired the land, that he now “wants to use as a tool to repel those who might go after him as an individual”. Why didn't the Senator divulge the information to the police? His contact is Paul.Otieno@dvn.com.

REMOVE BARRIERS. The Kilifi County Government is squarely to blame for creating a traffic mess in Mtwapa township, charges Caleb Kaminju Mathia. The county, he adds, recently erected metal barriers at the Kenol bus-stop, forcing matatus to pick up or drop off passengers on the road. He wonders at the rationale behind the move which has caused a traffic clog-up, inconveniencing road users. “Remove the barriers to restore order in this fast-growing town,” he urges. His contact is kaminju@theprinthub.co.ke.

CAR-WASH HAVOC. Car-wash gangs between Githurai and Roysambu near the Clayworks factory on Thika Superhighway are wreaking havoc on the road and the drains, says Julie Muthoni. The car-wash men, she claims, have blocked the drainage to trap the water they use, but they have also damaged the service lane. As a result, Julie reports, whenever it rains, “the area is permanently flooded due to the illegal blockage of the drain”. Julie, whose contact is juliemuthoni81@gmail.com, wants the mess cleared.

GANG EXTORTING HAWKERS. Can Inspector-General of Police David Kimaiyo rescue the hundreds of hawkers who eke out a living between the Globe Cinema area and Murang'a Road from the vice-like grip of an extortionist gang belonging to a resurgent Mungiki? urges Peter Karanja. For about three months now, at 5pm sharp, the group of six young men has been collecting Sh50 from each hawker in what they claim is “a protection fee from county askaris”.

Have a protective day, won't you!

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WAR AGAINST SLEAZE | Dalmas Okendo

Time to re-examine how graft is reported

Among the roles of a government is effective provision of public goods and services, and the promotion of inclusive and equitable development. Therefore, a government must be accountable to the people and corruption must be prevented.

While fighting corruption is everybody's business and each of us must take concrete measures to counter it, there are three problematic issues over the involvement of the general public.

First, the citizens themselves are part of the problem, believing as they do that bribes are the only way to get things done. Second, some members of the public benefit from corruption and resist efforts to stamp it out.

Third, passivity by the same public in the face of endemic corruption has allowed it to thrive. If this attitude persists, corruption will be entrenched in the nascent county governments.

Transparency International's Global Corruption Barometer 2013 indicates that a majority of the respondents (68 per cent) said they were willing to report incidents of corruption, while 32 per cent indicated unwillingness to do so.

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people did not know where to report.

Tipping the authorities about corruption in Kenya is a high-risk endeavour. People have been fired, harassed, driven from their homes and even lost lives for daring to speak out about bribery and other abuses of power.

In 2012, the Commission on Administrative Justice, the Kenya National Commission on Human Rights, the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission, the National Cohesion and Integration Commission, and the National Anti-corruption Campaign Steering Committee came together to form the Integrated Public Complaints and Referral Mechanism.

This platform aims at enabling State agencies to receive and refer complaints to each other. It also seeks to ease the burden of citizens moving from one office

to another to follow up complaints, as reports can be lodged with any of the participating agencies.

The complaints and referral mechanism has also spread the services of these agencies to areas where they do not have a presence. It has contributed towards better handling of complaints, thus improving responsiveness. Transparency International is part of this platform.

Even as these structures are applied, and with the transition to devolution, the perception of Kenyans still points to increasing incidents of corruption in both magnitude and complexity.

This calls for concerted effort to improve corruption reporting. The first step would be a thorough assessment of the existing mechanisms.

The key questions should be: what have been the successes and challenges in corruption reporting? What lessons have been learnt? Any emerging best practices? To what extent have these efforts been effective in promoting the reporting of corruption? Are these institutions well-equipped to handle graft allegations?

This should lead to a re-engineering of corruption reporting to make it simple, accessible and responsive.

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To the editor

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Suspend flights to West Africa to avert Ebola threat

I wish to join millions of Kenyans in calling on Kenya Airways to suspend flights from and to West Africa to safeguard the wananchi from Ebola.

This is a matter of national interest and it is important that we heed calls from WHO which has classified Kenya as a high-risk country owing to the heavy human traffic between Nairobi and the affected West African countries through air travel.

The reported new cases in those countries is staggering, considering that there is still no cure. It is also worth noting that Kenya is not as prepared as has been suggested. Only one hospital can handle Ebola cases and even then it can only handle a handful, merely 20 patients.

JAMES WAKIBIA, Nakuru

Police commission has failed Kenyans

The National Police Service Commission is doing a disservice to Kenyans.

Chairman Johnson Kavuludi should explain why it is taking long to arrest those involved in the recent police recruitment scandal.

The nullification of results in 36 centres is enough proof that the public outcry was not just empty grumble.

The commission should therefore be disbanded for failing to act on corruption. It should further be compelled to refund the funds used on it as they are not ready to serve Kenyans. The bungled police recruitment is a national shame and a disservice to the nation.

KAMAU GITAU, Kiambu

Uhuru party should stop polluting young minds

The decision by The National Alliance (TNA) to recruit young Kenyans below 18 in areas where it performed poorly in the last General Election is unfortunate.

TNA is targeting junior members as young as 16 who will be eligible voters by 2017.

Jubilee leaders should be engaging in national development and not polluting young minds with politics. Their focus should be on how to fulfil the campaign pledges, including providing Standard One pupils with laptops.

Let the minors' minds develop before introducing them to the "dirty game".

JUSTIN N. NKARANGA, Mombasa

TALKING POINT

Kenya needs a new capital city to make it attractive to investors

We need a new capital city with Nairobi remaining the economic nerve centre like Bombay is to India and New York is to the US.

The new capital city will pull away some of the commerce from Nairobi and hence decongest it. Also, there might just be a frenzy of investment in infrastructure, leading to job and construction booms.

City planners can attract investors by giving them a tax waiver for the next 10 years, if they build infrastructure for the city.

Someone is then bound to ask: How does the government make its money? I believe that economists can work out a formula on a give-and-take basis to create a balance.

A new city will also help ease the geopolitical tensions in the country. I would avoid Kisumu, Mombasa, Nakuru, Eldoret and Nyeri as they are associated with partisan politics.

So where then? The South Rift towns are ideal but they should be as far away from Nairobi as possible. Western, North Eastern and Eastern regions are other choices.

I have seen what we should emulate in the West. For instance, sewerage and water systems that can last not less than 200 years without collapsing from human pressure should be a priority.

City planners should think of reserving adequate land for the electricity grid. They should also think of the fibre optics to ensure the city is wired for the Internet. City planners should not forget that we've



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An aerial view of a section of Nairobi's central business district.

suffered from narrow highways. Even if we claim to have super highways, they are still narrow. Space is paramount for decongesting the city from vehicular traffic.

Finally, our new capital city must be circular and have road networks radiating to the centre. We may then have three main arteries circling the city — the outermost (widest), middle and innermost (smallest) circles.

From these circular freeways will radiate highways that serve independent suburbs.

If one wants to get to the CBD, all he/she needs is to exit from a freeway and take a route nearest to his/her destination. If however, this fails due to heavy traffic, the

user/commuter needs to continue on the circle, looking for the next decongested outlet.

The centre of our circular city may be the seat of government. It may also be the centre for international offices and embassies. Within this centre parks may be built.

The second circle may contain more office buildings for commerce and sectors for residential and business occupancy.

We don't need to agonise over what the name of the city should be. It should be based on the history of the local people.

For example, if it is Funyula, why not the capital city of Funyula or the capital city of Solai.

FRED ODENDA, San Antonio, Texas

Governor Ranguma must now start walking the talk

Kisumu Governor Jack Ranguma this week presided over the signing of performance contracts for county workers, marking a major step in improving service delivery. While it is commendable, residents expect this to be translated into action.

For the 18 months Mr Ranguma has been in office, Kisumu County has not felt the impact of his administration. There have been too much talk and promises but little action. For example, an urgent task like relocating the dumpsite from the present location near Moi Stadium in Kisumu Town has not been done.

The town is dirty and roads are full of potholes and little has been done to sort out the mess. Efforts to

contain the unruly boda boda operators have not been successful because of lack of resolve from the county managers.

At the same time, no tangible project has been initiated in the county worth writing about. When some tractors were paraded in the town ostensibly to boost agriculture, it later transpired they were purely a public relation show.

Having committed himself and his team to delivering services, the governor must get down to work. He should also remember the promise he made to the people of Upper Nyakach to repair and upgrade the Nyamaroka-Bodi Road.

JOB OTIENO, Sondu

SHORT TAKES

Emails from correspondents

COUNTY CASH ROW: Plans by Senate to deny four counties cash from the consolidated fund over failure of their governors to obey summons is an act of arrogance. When two bulls fight, it's the grass that suffer. Denying counties funds is basically a deliberate move by Senate to jeopardise services in the counties to portray governors as non-performers. If they are seeking answers on questions raised by the Auditor-General regarding county spending then they should talk to the county executives.

ARNOLD RONO, Nairobi

ANALOGUE GOVERNMENT: The Jubilee Government has been touting itself as being digital but it seems to be technologically-challenged. With pomp and colour, it has launched a few websites but these have become dysfunctional, making them fodder for public ridicule and playground for hackers. I pity the common mwana-nchi who cannot figure out which government website to visit for their problems. The way forward is to have a central portal, for example, www.kenya.gov, where links to all government's sites are posted.

ANTONY ALEX IRUNGU, Nairobi

DRACONIAN PROPOSAL: I agree with Edward Nyakerika's thinking on ridding the country of bad Western culture in the form of gayism. (*Daily Nation*, August 13). However, his draft Bill that seeks to have gay foreigners stoned to death is draconian. Being a Seventh Day Adventist, he should know the Bible is clear that thou shall not kill. God views all sins equally. For instance, coveting your neighbour's property is the same as being gay.

KIMTAI CHERONGIS, Bungoma

GOVERNORS' BIG LIE: 'Okoka Kenya' and 'Pesa Mashinani' are beautiful phrases that can easily woo the gullible. Yet Cord in its quest for a referendum is not being sincere. How can you share revenue in the ratio 9:10 between county governments and the National Government? The National Government has 40 roles constitutionally while counties have 14. Further, how do you hold a referendum during a transitional period? It does not take the mind of a rocket scientist to know that the National Government requires more money than the county governments to operate. Besides, counties still lack the capacity to handle even the amounts given to them presently.

DENNIS T MUTUGI, Kenyatta University

YESTERDAY'S QUESTION

Comment on the decision to cancel hiring of 1,215 police recruits?

DENNIS ONYINO: It is a good move in the fight against corruption.

LINCOLN KINYUA: Transparency, fairness and equality should prevail in any competition. Nullifying the unfair recruitment was in order and should be an example in future recruitment.

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WHITNEY MAKENA MUTUMA: How would the police bosses feel if their positions were to be revoked and re-advertised?

SYLVERIUS INDOGO: It is a blow to the poor because the same officers

will still be in charge of the next recruitment.

DAN TUMBO: This does not solve the problem. Repeat the whole exercise.

KAGWE WARUTA: That decision just shows how rotten the police

recruitment is. Those responsible should be punished.

ROSE ETALE: The decision is unfair because some recruits in the 36 centres followed the right channel but will now be locked out of the police jobs.

DEBATE QUESTION

Comment on reports county staff have not received their July salaries

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Mombasa | Kenyans urged to take advantage of reduced accommodation charges

Hotels lower rates to attract local tourists

They have introduced special offers for locals as foreign arrivals dwindle

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Hotels in Mombasa have introduced reduced holiday rates for local visitors due to “very few international tourists”.

The low numbers of foreign tourists is mainly as a result of travel warnings issued by the United Kingdom, the US, France and Australia to their citizens a few months ago.

This is ordinarily the high tourism season when international visitors flock the resort town.

Charter flights from Europe to Mombasa are less than 10 a week compared to 20 every week in the same period last year, according to hoteliers.

To remain afloat during the prevailing tourist drought, the hotels are targeting local holidaymakers through special holiday packages.

Among the hotels that have reduced rates for local tourists are Travellers Beach Hotel, Mombasa Beach Hotel, Sai Rock Hotel and the Heritage Hotels.

Last month, Travellers Beach Hotel came up with special offers for families, teachers, pupils and students, its marketing manager, Mr Wafula Waswa, said.

Mr Waswa said the hotel would soon introduce similar lower rates for religious leaders and non-profit making organisations.

It is charging Sh10,400 for a single person on half-board, down from Sh13,500. Couples pay Sh13,900, down from Sh15,600.

A teacher on half-board is charged Sh7,000, down from Sh13,500, and Sh9,000 down from Sh15,600 for a double half-board accommodation.

Three students below 18 years on half-board are required to pay Sh10,500 while a similar number of university students pay Sh14,900 half-board.

“The local tourists have the potential to fill up the empty beds at a time when we are experiencing low number of international guests,” Mr Waswa said.

The marketing manager said the special rates for families were valid up to September 30, while the offer for teachers and students ends on November 30.

RELATED

Malindi, Watamu are better off

Tourist numbers in hotels in Malindi and Watamu towns have been increasing due to the resumption of Italian charter flights last month, Mombasa and Coast Tourism Association chairman Mohamed Hersi has said.

To address the low number of tourists from Europe to Mombasa, he urged the government to allow more international airlines to introduce scheduled flights to the coastal resort town.

Most of the chartered airlines from Europe withdrew flights to Mombasa following travel warnings by foreign countries.

At Mombasa Beach Hotel, acting general manager Silas Kiti said local tourists had been offered similarly low charges.

The rate for a single person on half-board is down to Sh6,000 from Sh10,000 while charges for double on half-board is Sh9,000 from Sh14,000, Mr Kiti said.

He said the special packages, which came into effect mid last month, would end in October.

“I call upon Kenyans to take advantage of the holiday offers for them to sample the tourist facilities.”

Sai Rock Hotel too has lowered accommodation charges for Kenyan visitors. Mr Robert Kiri, the general manager, said a single person on half-board is charged Sh6,100, down from Sh8,100 while for a double, the charges are Sh10,500, down from Sh13,820.

Heritage Hotels chief executive officer Mohamed Hersi said Voyager Hotel too had special rates for Kenyans. Charges per person sharing are Sh6,100, down from Sh9,000 and Sh12,200 for a double, down from Sh18,000, he said.

Decline in charter flights

The offer will end in December.

Mr Hersi, who is also the Mombasa and Coast Tourism Association chairman, said hotels in Mombasa had decided to make their rates affordable to many local tourists due to the low number of international guests.

He said the hotels had an average occupancy rate of 50 per cent compared to between 80 per cent and 90 per cent in the same period last year.

International guests bookings, he said, were between 10 per cent and 20 per cent. In the same period last year, they were between 40 per cent and 50 per cent.

He attributed the drop in international tourist numbers to a sharp decline in charter flights from Europe to Mombasa.

The flights had plummeted to below 10 per week compared to over 20 in the same period at a similar time last year.

KEVIN ODIT | NATION

A swimming pool at Mombasa Beach Hotel on June 10.

The hotel is among those that have introduced low accommodation rates for domestic tourists due to a drop in the number of on international visitors to the coastal resort town.



BRIEFLY

Nairobi >

Inter-country adoption a big risk for children, says official

The Child Welfare Society of Kenya (CWSK) has warned that the opening up of child adoption to foreigners may have created an avenue for trafficking. The statement comes after a 35-year-old woman was arrested in Narok trying to sell her two children for Sh200,000 each. The society's executive director Ms Irene Mureithi, told NTV that the inter-country adoption put children in danger. “This has created a huge market for children,” she said. The official said there were people who bought children for rituals or for sacrifice. Others buy them to be used as guinea pigs in laboratories. However, Ms Mureithi said that there were those who seek to genuinely adopt children, but these are a minority.

— Stephen Muthini

Mandera >

Knut threatens to sue leaders for forced removal of teachers

A union has threatened to sue Wajir Governor Ahmed Abdullahi (right) and County Commissioner Naftali Mungathia over the forced transfer of teachers during the inter-clan clashes in May-June. Knut Mandera branch executive secretary Kullow Mohamed Sheikh said teachers affected by the clashes were suffering in IDP camps and warned that if the Wajir county administration did not compensate them, the matter would be taken to court. “We want the county administration to compensate these teachers for their houses and property destroyed in the clashes,” he said, adding that the two administrators had the capacity to prevent the clashes.



— KNA

Lodwar >

Traders fear loss of business following eviction from streets

The on-going construction of a water drainage system in Lodwar Town will displace more than 200 street traders. The drainage is being set up a month after the completion of the first 3.2km tarmac road in town. The county director for trade, Mr James Lokwale, said street lights would the next to be installed. Vegetable traders have, however, protested against the move to relocate them. “We will lose our customers when we move to the new site,” vegetable trader Norah Lobali said. Mr Lokwale said that the traders needed to occupy their market stalls to pave the way for the drainage system and later parking space.

— Sammy Lutta

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Homa Bay >

Wrangle over food ends in wife's death

Police are searching for a man who disappeared after beating his wife to death in Suna. The 35-year-old man is said to have picked a quarrel with Ms Eunice Akoth over alleged failure to prepare a meal for him. Ms Akoth explained to her husband that she had not cooked because she did not have money to buy food, a statement that angered the man. County Police Commander Gabriel Musau said the suspect vanished on realising that he had killed the wife.

— Maurice Kaluoch

Nakuru >

Three deny stealing Sh2m from hotel

Three women were yesterday charged with stealing Sh2 million from a restaurant. Ms Brenda Adhiambo Kogonde, Ms Florence Njoki and Ms Pauline Atieno Otieno denied the charges before Nakuru chief magistrate Samuel Mungai. They allegedly stole the money from Gilanis Supermarket's restaurant between January 1 and August 8, 2012. The court freed them on Sh600,000 bond each.

— Benard Ogembo

West Pokot >

Poverty blamed on alcohol consumption

The consumption of illicit brew has led to high levels of poverty in the county. And now, county police commander Charles Wasike has cautioned residents against taking such alcohol. Two weeks ago, three people died in Sook after consuming the drinks. The police boss has asked the residents to expose illicit brew traders. He said families were breaking up due to indulgence in alcohol. "The major problem now is not cattle rustling but excessive drinking of alcohol," Mr Wasike said in Kapenguria.

—Oscar Kaikai

Bungoma >

Residents asked to take up poultry farming

Governor Ken Lusaka has urged residents to embrace poultry farming to supply chicken to a factory to be opened in Chwele next month. Mr Lusaka (below) spoke during a farmers' field day at Bokoli yesterday. He advised the residents to rear traditional chickens in particular and try to meet the factory's processing capacity of 3,000 birds per day.

— KNA



Kwale >

Man who fled with police rifle arrested

Police have arrested a man who fled with a police gun after attacking his wife. The officers had gone to Mwamadi Village to arrest the man but he emerged from the house wielding a panga. The suspect injured a policewoman in the arm and took her gun. Deputy County Commissioner Moses Ivuto said the officers shot at the suspect but he escaped with gunshot wounds. The administrator thanked area Nyumba Kumi members for providing information on the suspect's hiding place. The police gun was recovered.

— Farouk Mwabege

Turkana >

Keep off national reserve, herders told

Herders on the Turkana-West Pokot counties border have been cautioned against taking their animals to South Turkana National Reserve. The warning followed the killing of an elephant on Tuesday. Turkana deputy County Commissioner Elijah Kodoh said poachers cut off the animal's tusks and sold its meat. "We suspect the criminals came from Amolem in West Pokot," Mr Kodoh said.

— Sammy Lutta

Bomet >

Dozens stranded in crackdown on vehicles

Hundreds of travellers were yesterday stranded as the National Transport Safety Authority mounted a crackdown on unroadworthy vehicles on the Bomet-Narok highway. At least 50 passengers were arrested for failing to use seat-belts and were fined by the mobile court accompanying safety authority officials. NTSA's Enforcement Officer Samuel Agutu said the crackdown was underway countrywide.

—Geoffrey Rono

Busia >

New seed variety to boost rice harvest

A new rice variety introduced at the Bunyala Irrigation Scheme this year is expected to fetch better returns to farmers. Area National Irrigation Board manager Joel Tanui yesterday said he expects 30,000 bags to be harvested. "The board introduced high-quality seeds and provided extension services and training to the farmers," he said. To break the cycle of diseases and poor harvest, the farmers were told to plant pishori and sindano varieties. Farmers now have access to loans and should repay them in time as they are assured of higher income. Production has grown in the last three years.

— Linet Wafula

Kilifi |

Mekatilili remembered 100 years after her death



GEORGE KIKAMI | NATION

Kilifi Governor Amason Kingi and other leaders join traditional dancers on arrival at Bungale in Magarini for celebrations to mark 100 years since the death of freedom hero Mekatilili Wa Menza. Mekatilili led the Giriama in rebellion against the British colonialists between 1913 and 1914. She opposed white occupation and forced labour.

Nyandarua >

'Notorious' gangsters seized with stolen goods

Three suspects were yesterday arrested for possession of official police uniforms and household goods worth Sh200,000. Some of the recovered items, which included electronics, were stolen from a church at Mairo-Inya. Nyandarua OCPD Benjamin Onsongo commended residents for giving the police information leading to the arrest. The three are believed to be part of a gang operating in the area.

—David Macharia

Laikipia >

New safety rules will kill business, riders complain

Boda bodas have rejected the new National Transport and Safety Authority regulations. They said banning them from town centres would ruin their business. The riders told journalists at a Nanyuki hotel yesterday that the proposed fines against offenders were high and would promote graft. "We want the rules changed since they are going to erode all gains we've made," their chairman, Mr Cyrus Kimathi, said.

— Muchiri Gitonga

Kilifi >

Villager denies raping schoolgirl

A man was yesterday charged with defiling a 16-year-old schoolgirl at Gedi village in Mitangani Location, between June and August. Mr Matano Charo Koi denied the offence before senior resident magistrate Lea Wasige. He was adamant that the student was his girlfriend and that she often visited him. He was remanded in custody until August 19 when the case will be mentioned.

—KNA

Mandera >

Borehole dug to ease residents' water woes

Residents of Koromey Location have a reason to smile after the county government dug a borehole for them. The residents, who have been without a permanent source of water for more than two decades, relied on supplies from government trucks and private vendors. The governor, Mr Ali Roba, assured residents of the benefits of development that have eluded them since independence.

—Lucas Barasa

Vihiga >

Firms come to the aid of key department

The county will work with three international agencies to end perennial water shortages, according to environment executive Nixon Amendi. Mr Amendi said the agencies were from the Netherlands, US and Belgium. "The Dutch firm is on a five-year plan to help grow the department while the Belgian one has given us a Sh1.7 million grant," he said.

—Derick Luwega

Embu >

Growers want tea levies scrapped to raise incomes

Tea farmers have supported a proposed Bill seeking to scrap all taxes on the crop, saying it will improve the price of the commodity. The Rukuriri, Mungania and Kathangariri farmers also urged the government, through their Embu County Tea Producers Association (Ecotepa), to allow more buyers into the market to boost demand.

—Charles Wanyoro

COUNTY IN NUMBERS

10

Number of chartered flights from Europe to Mombasa currently, down from 20 at the same time last year.

Sh100

Cost of glass a reveller at a drinking joint in Migori Town broke, leading to a fight in which he was killed.

43,750

Hectares of land put under sugarcane by farmers contracted to Mumias Sugar Company.



5,500

Pregnancy-related deaths in Kenya annually, according to First Lady Margaret Kenyatta

COUNTY NEWS > ROUND-UP

Mombasa >
Cashier denies stealing
Sh1m from Tuskys

A chief cashier with Tuskys was yesterday charged with stealing over Sh1 million from the supermarket. Mr Dominic Kasyuko Mbinda allegedly stole the cash from the Tuskys Bandari branch in Mombasa County. He denied the charges and was freed on a Sh300,000 bond. The crime is said to have been committed between January 1 and August 8. His lawyer, Mr Pascal Nabwana, said while seeking his release on bond that the accused was a family man and remanding him would cause suffering to his wife and children.

— Mishi Swaleh

Nakuru >
Unionist tells off rivals
over fallout claims



Union of Kenya Civil Servants (UKCS) secretary-general Tom Odege (above) yesterday dismissed claims of abuse of office and a fallout among union members. Mr Odege termed the allegations as witch-hunt aimed at tarnishing his name and that of other national leaders who have also been blamed for the loss of funds and formation of several breakaway unions. “The officials in our Nakuru branch are unhappy because a court nullified their elections and so they are now trying to intimidate me and others who sailed through,” Mr Odege told the *Nation*. Nakuru branch officials on Monday accused Mr Odege of perpetrating irregularities and demanded that he steps down to allow for investigations into the use of union’s funds.

—Eric Matara

Meru >
Kora Park to become
a sanctuary for lions

Kora National Park in Tana River County will be turned into a lion sanctuary. This was intended to protect the lions, Kenya Wildlife Service assistant director in charge of Eastern conservation region Simon Gitau told the media on Wednesday at George Adamson’s Camp. It would also promote the park as an exclusive tourist destination. “We have decided to make the park a lion sanctuary after realising that their numbers are going down. It is also a way of making the park a tourist destination,” Mr Gitau said.

—Dickson Mwiti

Lamu >
Curfew blamed for loss
of crops to wild animals

Farmers continue to suffer heavy losses as their crops are destroyed by wild animals during curfew hours. Residents told the *Nation* that their farms become food havens for the animals between dusk and dawn when the curfew is enforced. They said that they could no longer guard their crops at night due to the 6.30pm to 6.30am curfew imposed by the police on July 19 after dozens of people were killed by criminals. Mr Javanson Gichimu, a farmer in Lake Amu, said the wildlife included zebras, buffaloes, monkeys and hippos.

— Kalume Kazungu

Baringo >
Flood-prone area
villagers told to move

Residents of landslide and flood-prone areas have been asked to move to safer ground following heavy rains. Many lakes and rivers are about to break their banks. Deputy Governor Mathew Tuitok told Sacho, Tenges, Sirwo, Kiponjos, Kapropita, Talai and Sumeiyan residents to be vigilant. Several people have been buried alive in past landslides and rockfalls. Mr Tuitok also called on area farmers to take advantage of the rains and plant fast-maturing crops.

— Wycliff Kipsang

Nyeri >
Former police officer
freed on graft charges

An ex-police officer facing corruption charges was acquitted yesterday after the withdrawal from the case of the complainant. Asher Aduda had been charged with receiving Sh26,500 from Kelvin Omondi on May 4 by pretending he could help him join the force. In the same Court, a man was set free after pleading guilty to trespass. Anthony Thairu was charged with entering John Ndegwa’s home in Gitero village on August 13 without permission.

— Evalyne Githinji

Homa Bay >
Rep sworn in, pledges
to work with his rivals

The newly-elected Member of County Assembly for Kibiri Ward, Mr Kennedy Opiyo, was yesterday sworn in at Homa Bay County Assembly. The ward rep promised to pick up the mantle from where his elder brother, Mr Boaz Ondieki (now deceased), left by completing development projects. Mr Opiyo extended an olive branch to his competitors in the by-election, saying he was ready to work with them. Mr Ondieki was murdered at his home on April 10.

— KNA

Nyeri | Baboons destroy farmers’ crops



JOSEPH KANYI | NATION
A farmer collects maize destroyed by baboons at her farm in Amboni, Nyeri County, yesterday. Residents have been forced to harvest the crops prematurely following the invasion by the animals from the nearby Aberdares National Park.

Kakamega >
Miller set to expand
production of sugar

A sugar company has embarked on an ambitious project to expand planting of cane on its 43,752 hectares. Mumias Sugar Company is drafting a six-year land lease agreement with farmers for increased production. The director for marketing and communication, Ms Margaret Makhungu, said the plan was nearly complete. “We are consulting the growers before implementation,” Ms Makhungu said. She said the firm was working on the modalities to ensure a smooth take-off. “We want farmers to understand the concept first and gradually start applying the idea,” Ms Mukhungu said.

—John Shilitisa

Embu >
Elders want agency to
rein in rogue lawyers

The Embu Council of Elders has asked the Advocates’ Complaints Commission to investigate lawyers exploiting their clients. Chairman Andrew Ireri said many residents had lost money to lawyers because of poor documentation and filing, leading to abandonment of cases midway. He was speaking at Nembure market yesterday after listening to complaints from residents. He said some cases also stalled as soon as a lawyer died. “The people the lawyer has been representing have no one to turn to and they start the case afresh,” he said, lamenting that bribes were being solicited in courts to facilitate the tracing of “lost” files.

—Charles Wanyoro

Uasin Gishu >
Kecoso basketballers
arrested over bar brawl

Sixteen basketball players were yesterday arrested after a brawl at Signature Club in Eldoret Town. Mr Jonah Murunga, the club manager, said the players, who are taking part in the ongoing Kenya Communications Sports Organisation games in Eldoret, had been coming to the club for a week and they had been peaceful. “They were tall guys and it was difficult to calm them down, they were throwing chairs and bottles all over the club and broke bottles, glasses and windows,” he said.

—Gerald Bwisa

Kakamega >
Man charged with
raping two-year-old

A man yesterday denied repeatedly defiling a two-year-old girl. Collins Kevego Galagali was charged with defilement and engaging in an indecent act with a child. The child’s mother told the court that her daughter disappeared from home on August 9 and was found two days later. The court granted Galagali a Sh200,000 bond and fixed the mention and hearing dates for August 21 and November 7 respectively.

— Phyllis Musasia

Migori >
Patron killed after
breaking beer glass

Breaking a beer glass worth Sh100 cost a man his life in Migori Town. Mr Lincon Otieno, was enjoying his drink in Namba estate when the glass he was using fell and broke into pieces. Witnesses said the pub owner picked a quarrel with Mr Otieno and hit him with a blunt object on the head. He was pronounced dead in hospital. Area police boss Joshua Opiyo said the bar owner was arrested as he tried to escape.

—Elisha Otieno

Makueni >
‘Magic’ drink lands
two in hospital

Two Kalungu villagers are fighting for their lives in hospital after a witchdoctor administered medicine on them. They are suspected to have stolen three goats from the home of Mr Wambua Nzomo, who sought the assistance of a witchdoctor from Kisii in identifying the thieves. Kibwezi police chief Leonard Kimaiyo said the suspects became unconscious after they took a concoction from the witchdoctor. Mr Kimaiyo said police were looking for the witchdoctor who disappeared shortly after administering the medicine to the villagers.

—John Kisu

Garissa | Police launch hunt for culprits

Two workers killed in night attack at house

Three gunmen on a motorcycle open fire on residents outside their gate

BY ABDIMALIK HAJIR

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Two casual labourers were killed by gunmen on a motorcycle in Garissa Town.

Eyewitnesses told the *Nation* that the rider of the motorbike carrying three armed men slowed down on approaching a house where the labourers were seated at the gate on Wednesday, at 8pm, and shot them.

The victims were identified as Mr Peter Mwendwa Musyoka, 35, and Mr John Musili Nzioka, 28.

Mr John Muneni said he was among six men who had been sitting at the gate, but left before the fatal shooting.

He and three others had gone to their houses, leaving behind the two victims behind.

"No sooner had we got into our houses than we heard gunshots outside. When we went back to check

8

Time in the evening when attack occurred

28

Age of man who died in hospital after shooting

35

Age of man who died instantly

what had happened, we found one had been killed, while another was bleeding profusely," Mr Muneni told journalists at the scene.

Mr Nzioka later died in hospital.

Mr Muneni said the attackers seemed to have planned to kill all the six men. He said he was lucky to be alive. He appealed to the police to hunt down the killers and bring them to book.

The motive of the attackers is yet to be determined. Deputy police boss Benjamin Muhia told journalists that they had launched investigations into the matter.

Appealed for calm

"We appeal to the residents of Garissa Town to cooperate with us in the fight against crime," he said.

The police boss asked the public to provide information that would lead to the arrest of the culprits. He said he was optimistic they would apprehend the killers of the two workers.

However, he appealed for calm, dismissing claims that Kenyans from other parts of the country were being targeted.

The incident is likely to cause more panic among residents of the town, which has seen many terrorist attacks.

Kisumu | Teacher's hard work rewarded



TOM OTIENO | NATION

The Technical University of Kenya Vice-Chancellor, Prof Francis Aduol (left), presents a certificate to Mr Kennedy Onyango Ongeche during the Maseno School prize-giving day last Friday. Mr Ongeche, a Geography teacher, was recognised for his exceptional results in the 2013 KCSE examination.

Laikipia >

Health service scheme set for launch

BY DAVID MACHARIA

A joint Kenya-Danish governments partnership will today launch a health service support initiative for county governments. The venue will be Ndindika Health Centre.

The Sh2 billion partnership will be graced by Health Cabinet Secretary James Macharia and Danish Ambassador to

Kenya Geert Andersen. It will be implemented over six years.

The Danish health ministry will provide Sh2.2 billion direct support to county governments for the devolution of the primary healthcare system.

This is part of Denmark's planned Sh6.3 billion health-care assistance to Kenya. It

aims to improve livelihoods by ensuring a healthy population to implement various development programmes.

It also meant to help improve equitable access to quality health care by providing technical assistance to the county governments, which will eventually take over management of health centres.



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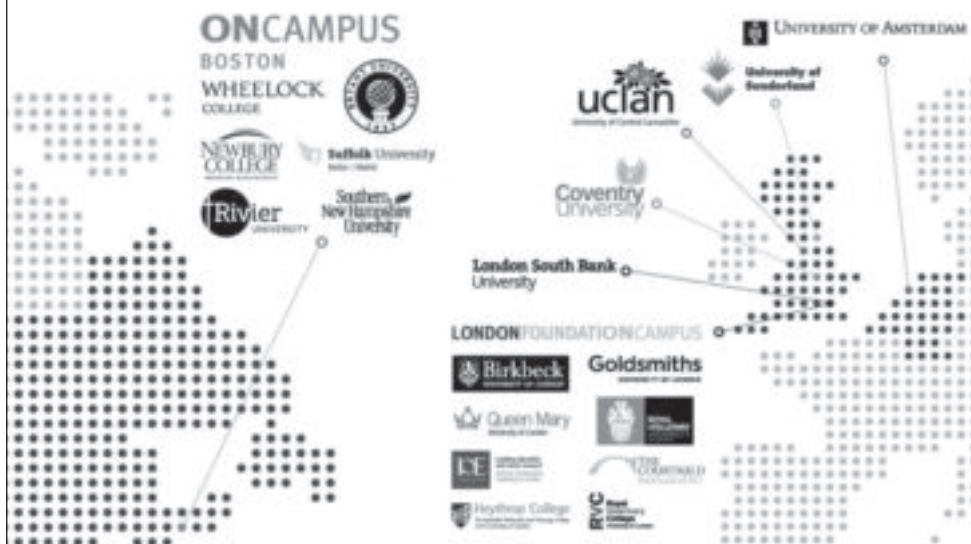
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Kisumu | Initiative supported by Canada

Busia, Kisumu, Siaya join hands to boost farming

Absence of trading blocs blamed for wide-spread poverty in region

BY MOSES ODHIAMBO
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Three counties in western Kenya have teamed up to improve agriculture.

Busia, Kisumu and Siaya deputy governors yesterday said the plan would help eliminate needless competition among them.

They said it would also do away with expensive energy.

Ms Ruth Odinga (Kisumu), Mr Kizito Wangalwa (Busia) and Siaya's Ouma Onyango said the aim was to improve the production of cotton and sorghum and the fishing industry.

Ms Odinga (below) said the counties had realised that working together would boost farmers' access to large markets.

"We must abandon the traditional way of doing things where counties compete to sell the same products. This new concept involves specialisation for each county, with a common market platform created for these unique products."

The absence of trading blocs, she added, was the reason for little successes in the fight against poverty.

Mr Wangalwa said the projects would be pegged on the counties' integrated plans in order to avert duplication.

The region was endowed with resources that would

only be of benefit if the counties worked together.

Mr Onyango warned against politicising the idea. He said politics was the reason many things had never changed in the region.

"It is not about re-inventing the wheel. We want to complement the efforts of counties towards marketing local produce with a focus on exports through large-scale production," he said.

He explained that certification and standard improvement would be part of the deal.

Canada is supporting the initiative through the Society for International Development (SID).

A SID official, Mrs Mary Muyonga, said the project would involve the three counties through researching solutions towards a joint development initiative.

She said the project was keen on promoting the use of appropriate technology in order to improve agriculture.

Mrs Muyonga added that the arrangement would see the three counties' trade jointly and thus enjoying the economies of scale created by the expanded market.

"We want them to promote one another's products," she said.

The project, she added, would provide value-addition technology through a commitment of the counties engaged in the plan.



Trans Nzoia >

Hospital sale deal above board, official tells critics

BY PHILIP BWAYO

The county government has denied claims that it bought a private hospital irregularly.

Health executive Ken Simiyu said due process was followed in the deal. He termed the allegation as a ploy to derail the "county's spirited efforts" to improve healthcare.

"We have documentation to show that we followed due procedure in buying the building that has just been completed. These allegations are misplaced," Mr Simiyu said.

Trans Nzoia Woman Representative Janet Nangabo had raised queries over the value of the medical facility that is meant to supplement the services of the overwhelmed local district hospital.

The leader, who spoke at Naisambu Catholic Church, alleged that underhand dealings may have influenced the acquisition of the Sh170 million hospital, as no evaluation was done.

But some leaders dismissed the remarks by Mrs Nangabo (New Ford-Kenya) as "a cheap political move aimed at tainting the image of Governor Patrick Khaemba".

Trans Nzoia Ford-Kenya organising secretary Ken Wafula said: "She is tactically drumming up support for a top leader in her party who has shown interest in the governor's seat."

The chairwoman of Trans Nzoia women's caucus, Ms Emmaculate Shamala, said Mrs Nangabo's sentiments "are anti-development". She urged leaders to "take a break from politics and deliver results".

Kisumu | Sh170m water project launched



JACOB OWITI | NATION

Kisumu Governor Jack Ranguma addresses residents at Manyatta during the launch of a Sh173 million project to connect all slums in the town to piped water. The project will be undertaken by the town's water company.

Mombasa >

Marwa warns police officers who extort bribes from drivers

BY WACHIRA MWANGI

Police officers in Mombasa County, who demand bribes from motorists, have been put on notice.

County Commissioner Nelson Marwa said taxi and truck drivers, tuktuk and boda boda riders had complained of extortion by some officers.

He also said tour company drivers and members of some communities that he did not name, appeared to be major targets of corrupt officers.

Mr Marwa said his office was aware of the vice and was working with the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission to bring the culprits to book.

"Roadblocks are not ATMs. They are for security reasons," he said.

Mr Jacktone Owino, a boda boda rider at Buxton, told the *Nation* he had fallen victim several times and had paid Sh500 recently.

"The roadblocks have made it hard for us to operate as the officers always try to find fault," Mr Owino said.

Kisauni police boss Walter Abondo said he would look into the complaints.

"We are investigating if it is, indeed, true that roadblocks are being seen as ATMs. Any officer caught demanding a bribe will face the law."

Coast Traffic Commandant Martin Kariuki said roadblocks were manned by regular and Administration Police officers, and not those from the Traffic Department.

Vihiga >

Akaranga accused of hiring politicians

Governor Moses Akaranga has been accused of appointing "people with political interests" to county executive offices. Majority Chief Whip Abdalla Chogo said the county assembly had been alarmed to note that some chief officers hired recently had been engaging in politics. He said the assembly would compel Mr Akaranga to present the officials for vetting. The Public Service Committee would question Speaker Dan Chitwa over "a salary stalemate" that had almost paralysed the assembly's work, he added.

— Derick Luvega

Kwale >

Youth 'not denied jobs due to inexperience'



Governor Salim Mvurya (above) has denied claims that a large number of young people have been locked out of county jobs due to lack of experience. He said the condition applied only to positions requiring professional and technical skills. "It is not true that we demand that all jobseekers be experienced. It all depends on the kind of work that is available," said Mr Mvurya. He cited the example of youth recently hired as county enforcement officers, saying none of them had experience prior to their recruitment. The governor said experience was, however, mandatory in specialised and technical fields, and the County Public Service Board had to go by that as it was bound by the law. — KNA

Nakuru >

KLS launches Internet service for students

University and secondary school students can now access a wide range of information off-line after the Kenya Library Services launched an e-granary server. The off-line information store, also referred to as "The Internet in a Box", provides instant access to over 32 million digital resources for those lacking Internet access.

The e-granary server worth Sh156,000 was donated by the American Embassy under the American Corner Project, which seeks to equip the library service for the benefit of locals. Mr Joseck Olala, an ICT officer at the Kenya Library Services in Nakuru, said the server "gives instant access to a wide variety of educational resources".

—Magdalene Wanja

Narok >

First Lady hands over second mobile health clinic

BY GEORGE SAYAGIE

Narok County has received a mobile clinic donated by First Lady Margaret Kenyatta's 'Beyond Zero' campaign against maternal deaths.

Mrs Kenyatta yesterday handed over the fully equipped clinic at the Maasai Mara University in Narok Town.

The first mobile clinic under the

campaign was provided to Taita Taveta County last month.

Mrs Kenyatta's campaign intends to purchase a mobile clinic for each of the 47 counties.

She said Narok County was the second to be considered because it was last year ranked among the counties that had the highest maternal death rate aggravated by the HIV scourge.

"I am informed that in 2013, some

1,341 adults and 188 children died of Aids-related complications in Narok County alone," she said.

"The figures are, by all standards, unacceptable because these are deaths that we can avert."

Every year, more than 5,500 women in Kenya die from pregnancy complications.

The most common causes of maternal deaths are haemorrhage,

obstructed labour and abortion.

Governor Samuel Tunai said the clinic would save women the painful experiences during delivery.

"Statistics from the consolidated county HIV and Aids profiles show that up to 80 per cent of pregnant women in the county do not deliver in health centres, while only 41 per cent attend four recommended ante natal clinics," he said.

Kisii >

Don't meddle in running of schools, churches told

BY BRIAN MOSETI

The role of churches in the management of schools came under scrutiny at a conference in Kisii County yesterday.

Kisii University Vice-Chancellor John Akama accused some churches of interfering with the management of schools by fronting only members of their faiths to head the institutions they sponsor.

He told the Kisii County Education conference that this could compromise the quality of education and leadership.

"Must a Catholic head a Catholic Church-sponsored school or a Seventh Day Adventist be the principal of an SDA institution?" Prof Akama (below) asked.

However, Kisii Catholic Diocese Vicar-General Joseph Obanyi supported the churches' role though he did not delve into the leadership question.

"The first schools in Kenya were started by churches. The church will continue to offer support to education," he said.

Prof Akama also expressed con-



cern over an increase in clan-based schools. He said if the issue was not addressed urgently, it could become a serious problem.

"Every clan cannot have its school and insist that only its members should head it. This compromises the quality of leadership and impacts negatively on the children whose lives we want to improve," Prof Akama said.

Similar concerns were raised by teachers' unions.

Speaking on Wednesday, Knut assistant Secretary-General Hezbon Otieno accused churches of interfering with teacher recruitment.

"We appreciate their work but they should leave the management of schools to the boards. Recruitment should be left to the Teachers Service Commission and the ministry," he said.

Kuppet's Secretary-General Akelo Misori concurred with him.

Prof Jane Onsongo, of the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission, addressed leadership challenges in education.

She urged schools in Kisii and Nyamira to strengthen old boys and girls associations. She said old students influenced performance, sponsorship and key decisions.

Murang'a | Governor apologises for derogatory remarks about House

Wa Iria appears before the Senate

House had threatened to withhold Murang'a County funds

BY JEREMIAH KIPLANG'AT

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Governor Mwangi Wairia broke ranks with his colleagues yesterday and appeared before senators to answer audit queries.

The county boss went against the call by the Council of Governors not to face senators, saying he had a lot of respect for the House and was willing to respond to any concerns raised.

Kicked out

Mr Wa Iria told members of the Senate Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments that previous invitations were not specific and that is why he could not honour its summons.

The governor obeyed the summons a week after the House passed a motion to stop funding for Murang'a until he faced them. Activities in the county government would have

ground to a halt.

Committee Chairman Boni Khalwale asked Mr Wa Iria to explain why he had snubbed four previous invitations.

"I sent my officers and was expecting them to come and tell me what had transpired between them and the senators but they were kicked out. I did not like the way they were treated," said Mr Wa Iria.

Deep and narrow

Vihiga Senator George Khaniri also put him to task about "derogatory remarks" he made about senators and the House.

"I have seen reports in the media and saw you making derogatory statements against the Senate," Mr Khaniri said.

The governor seemed uncomfortable with the question and was hesitant to answer.

After much prodding from the committee members, Mr Wa Iria offered his apologies.

"I would not go to the remarks on the media. I would want to remain deep and narrow on matters affecting Murang'a County but if there was anything unpalatable I said about the Senate, I withdraw and apologise," said Mr Wa Iria at Parliament Buildings in Nairobi yesterday.

County assets

The committee has been interrogating governors on audit queries raised by the Auditor-General in the 2012/13 Financial reports. There are reports of massive misuse of funds allocated to counties.

"I wrote back to the committee asking for clarity on audit



SALATON NJAU | NATION

Governor Mwangi wa Iria when he appeared before the Senate Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments at Parliament Buildings yesterday. He went to answer queries raised by the Auditor-General concerning use of county funds. He exonerated himself from many of the issues raised.

queries. Even now I do not have specific queries on what was needed from me but I have come today to have a discussion with senators," said governor Wa Iria.

Murang'a is among the four counties that senators last Thursday hurriedly recommended that their allocations for 2014 be withheld until their governors appeared before them to explain several questions highlighted by the Auditor-General.

Bomet, Kisumu and Kiambu counties are the other three.

Bomet Governor and chairman of the Council of Governors Isaac Ruto has asked his colleagues not

to honour the summons from the Senate.

The governor responded to all the questions with assistance from the officials accompanying him.

Mr Wa Iria was asked to tell the committee what he was doing to speed up the transfer of assets from the defunct local authorities to the county. He exonerated himself from any wrongdoing saying the Transition Authority had delayed transferring the assets.

"We must do a total valuation of all our assets," Mr Wa Iria told the committee.



SALATON NJAU | NATION

Senate Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments Chairman Bony Khalwale speaks when Murang'a governor Mwangi Wa Iria appeared before it.

Kwale >

Cohesion team drops case against public service board officials

BY FAROUK MWABEGE

The cohesion team has withdrawn a case against two officials of the Kwale Public Service Board.

Board chairman Kassim Riga and the secretary, Ms Victoria Tumaini, yesterday had appeared before Kwale Resident Magistrate Paul Mutai.

But the prosecutor, Mr Joseph Omwanda, informed the court that

the National Cohesion and Integration Commission had decided to withdraw the case under Section 87 (a) of the Constitution after the accused complied with its requisition.

Mr Riga and Ms Tumaini had no objection to the application by the prosecution.

According to the charge sheet, the two officials hindered a staff member of the commission from performing

his functions. The accused were summoned on May 14, to appear before the commission in Nairobi to help with ongoing investigations into employment procedures in the county. But both failed to turn up.

On the mention date, they denied the charges and were released on a cash bail of Sh10,000 each.

Before the case was heard, the commission's secretary, Mr Hassan

Mohammed, addressed a press conference at which he said that although the board had not initially complied with the employment requirements, it subsequently did.

The secretary said the commission, therefore, no longer had any issues with the board.

"What is left is for the court to issue the final verdict," Mr Mohammed added.

Lamu | Move will boost medical services in the county

Hospitals set for Sh200m upgrade

National Government to disburse the money for the project soon, says governor

BY KALUME KAZUNGU
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The National Government will this year release Sh200 million to upgrade key public hospitals in Lamu County.

Governor Issa Timamy revealed yesterday that President Uhuru Kenyatta gave the directive at a recent meeting and it was agreed that the money be disbursed immediately.

Speaking to journalists in Lamu town, Dr Timamy said the upgrade targets King Fahad County Hospital in Lamu Island, Mpeketoni and Faza sub-county hospitals.

"I talked with the President and he promised to release the funds possibly this month. I am assuring you that by December this year, our hospitals will not be the same. We don't want a scenario where our patients seek services outside the county. We want our hospitals to attain referral status," said Dr Timamy.

Sh100 million will be used to upgrade the King Fahad, while Mpeketoni and Faza



FILE | NATION
Lamu Governor Issa Timamy chats with Lands Cabinet Secretary Charity Ngilu and County Commissioner Miiri (third left), when the minister toured the region recently. Key hospitals in the county are set for a major upgrade.

sub-county hospitals will get Sh50 million each, said County Health Executive Mohamed Mbwana Kombo.

Deputy Governor Eric Mugo said the hospitals' upgrade would benefit Lamu residents immensely.

"We have suffered for long as far as health is concerned. I applaud the President for his move," said Mr Mugo.

Dr Kombo said the funds would also be used to purchase equipment to boost services to residents.

He further revealed plans to renovate and upgrade Witu Dispensary, especially the theatre wing plus emergency and accidents departments.

"Apart from the Sh200 million

from the National Government, the county government is also doing its best. Our major aim is to improve service delivery to our people," said Dr Kombo.

In the current budget (2014/2015), the health docket was allocated the lion's share of Sh317.7 million -- about 16 per cent of entire budget.

Assembly Budget and Appropriations Committee Chairman Omar Said Lali said the allocation would set the stage for growth of Lamu's health sector.

The sector is currently faced with myriad challenges including shortage of medical staff, facilities and drugs.

Turkana >

Poor hygiene sapping the health budget

BY SAMMY LUTTA
AND PHILIP BWAYO

Kenya uses more than Sh27 billion to fight diseases caused by poor sanitation, a senior public health official has said.

Speaking in Turkana, the Deputy Director of Public Health, Dr John Kariuki, said that poor healthcare waste management is associated with the spread of disease such as Hepatitis B and C.

"Waste management is a major challenge in our health centres," he said during the commissioning of a USAid-funded incinerator at Kainuk Health Centre.

Exposed to risks

Dr Kariuki said that patients are exposed to risks as health facilities lack or have poor waste management plans.

He said the national government has partnered with stakeholders to install incinerators in health centres across the country.

"County governments should ensure that hygiene standards are improved to lower funding for treatment of communicable diseases," he said.

Dr Kariuki said Sh1 billion is spent on Turkana to deal with infections caused by poor sanitation as a result of open defecation.

I am assuring you that by December this year, our hospitals will not be same"

Dr Issa Timamy, Lamu Governor



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QUICK SPREAD | Nearly 2,000 people have been infected in Sierra Leone, Guinea, and Liberia

Freetown's slums ill-prepared to battle an outbreak of Ebola

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Father-of-six
Hassan Sesay



PHOTO | AFP

A woman washes clothes in the Kroo town slum in Freetown, yesterday amid Ebola fears. An outbreak of cholera across the capital's poorest housing areas two years ago killed almost 400 people.

BY FRANKIE TAGGART
FREETOWN, Thursday

From a hillside rising high above the fetid orange sludge of Freetown's largest slum, it is hard to imagine a place more ill-equipped to deal with an outbreak of Ebola.

Kroo Bay — a cramped beachfront township of 15,000 where disease is rife and most people die before middle age — is emblematic of the threat facing Sierra Leone's capital.

"This is a slum area. We have many gutters, and bacteria and germs. We have many problems in this community, even without Ebola," says father-of-six Hassan Sesay, 38, a lifelong resident.

The death toll in the worst epidemic of Ebola since its discovery four decades ago stands at 1,069.

Nearly 2,000 people have been infected in Sierra Leone, Guinea, and Liberia.

Freetown, an overcrowded city of 1.2 million people, has so far avoided catastrophe, with most of Sierra Leone's 783 cases cropping up in the remote forests of the east.

More than 30 of the city's medical workers were placed in quarantine this week, however, sparking fears that a wave of cases is about to sweep in.

Many of Kroo Bay's inhabitants confess that they now spend much of their free time hiding

in their densely-packed zinc and wood shanties.

While poverty has been their most pressing concern since the end of a ruinous 1991-2002 civil war, now they say they worry about infection.

"Everyone is feeling bad when they see what Ebola can do," says mother-of-two Moussu Diallo, 20.

"I have never seen anyone with the virus but I worry for my children."

Kroo Bay is home to artisanal fishermen, cobblers, tin smelters who make pots and pans from the dented metal of abandoned cars, bakers and carpenters.

Pigs poke around in the mud which passes for paving between the huts while women bathe in the open and children wash clothes in the torrential rain.

There is no electricity or running water, one health clinic and only four toilets. Infectious diseases have a history of spreading like wildfire through the former fishing settlement, named after migrants from the Kru tribe in neighbouring Liberia who settled in the 1960s.

Freetown's more affluent residents dump their rubbish on the banks of the Crocodile River which flows past Kroo Town and mountains of plastic get washed up in the slum.

An outbreak of cholera across the capital's poorest housing areas two years ago killed almost 400 people.

It rains six months of the year in Freetown, one of the world's wettest cities, and Kroo Bay lies at the bottom of the steep hill on which it was built.

Putrid water inundates the slum every summer and brings rats, malaria, cholera, dysentery and respiratory infections.

Life expectancy, at 35, is around 10 years below the nationwide average. But for all the hardships of daily life, Kroo Bay has remained a vibrant, bustling, noisy place — until Ebola.

Economics student Mohamed Kamara, the son of Kroo Bay's village chief, says that while he and his friends used to meet regularly, the socialising has stopped.

"We are not moving around now. We sit at home talking about Ebola and how it spread," the 24-year-old tells AFP.

"I have to stay at home so that I don't contract the disease."

El Hadji Abubakar, the township's Islamic leader, says people only venture out to worship, because they are "filled with fear and panic that this sickness will come". The 62-year-old imam, echoing every resident interviewed by AFP, says the community is well educated about Ebola and how the dangers can be minimised.

Yet there is no evidence that the people of Kroo Bay are taking any serious precautions other than staying at home. (AFP)

URGENT ACTION

Experimental drug to battle virus

Canadian aid: Canada is sending up to 1,000 doses of an experimental Ebola vaccine to West Africa to help the WHO fight an epidemic.

Doses: Between 800 to 1,000 doses would be distributed through the World Health Organization where it is needed. The VSV-EBOV vaccine was

developed at Canada's National Microbiology Laboratory in Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Early: The drug has never been tested in humans, but has shown promise in animal research, according to the government, which licensed Bio-Protection Systems to further develop the product.

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Doctor to be released soon from hospital

WASHINGTON, Thursday

The American doctor who became ill with the Ebola virus while treating patients in Liberia will be released from a US hospital soon, a Christian aid group said today. "Dr Kent Brantly is doing very well and hopes to be released sometime in the near future," said a statement from Samaritan's Purse.

It did not give any specifics on timing. The staff at Emory University hospital in Atlanta, Georgia "are taking extremely great care of him," the statement added.

Trying to help people

Dr Brantly and another American missionary, Nancy Writebol, both came down with Ebola while trying to help people in the midst of West Africa's largest outbreak in history.

Brantly, 33, and Writebol, 60, were given an experimental drug treatment and were airlifted back to the United States. Writebol is also said to be improving and is being treated at the same hospital as Brantly.

Ebola is spread through contact with the bodily fluids of an infected person, and healthcare workers and family members are particularly at risk of contracting the disease. Brantly issued a letter last week from his hospital room, recalling how he isolated himself when he began to feel sick, and how he felt watching so many victims die. (AFP)

Cholera death toll rises to 36 in Ghana

ACCRA, Thursday

The death toll from cholera outbreak in Ghana's capital, Accra, has risen from 15 to 36 out of over 3,000 reported cases, health officials said here today.

Sixteen deaths have been recorded in just one week. Poor sanitation in the metropolis has been cited as the main cause of the outbreak of the disease.

The situation has brought pressure on infrastructure at various hospitals and clinics.

The outbreak confirms fears expressed by the Ghana Health Service in May that a breakdown in the waste management system in Accra could spark an epidemic as the rainy season had begun.

The authorities have cautioned residents to beware of the food and water they consume. Cholera is an acute intestinal infection caused by ingestion of food or water contaminated with bacterium, *Vibrio cholerae*. (Xinhua)

Ex-Somali PM elected president of regional state

BY ABDULKADIR KHALIF
NATION Correspondent
MOGADISHU, Thursday

Former prime minister of Somalia, Dr Ali Khalif Galaydh, was today elected president of Khatumo state in Somalia. The state was first established in January 2012 and claims to have jurisdiction over Sool, Sanaag and Cayn regions, collectively abbreviated as SSC, in northern Somalia.

Dr Galaydh was elected the leader of Khatumo State following an election that took place at Saah-dheer settlement in

Sool region, about 1,000 kilometres northeast of Mogadishu. He faced competition from the incumbent president of the regional state, Mr Mohamed Yusuf Indhashell.

Out of voting 31 community representatives, Dr Galaydh garnered 21 votes while Mr Indhashell got 9. One voted was annulled. Khatumo State House of

Representative is comprised of 32 legislators as a long-time politician and civil servant in Somalia.

He managed several state institutions including manufacturing companies and educational institutes in the 1970s.

He also became Cabinet Minister during the socialist rule of the late General Mohamed Siad Barre in the 1980s.

In 2000, following a reconciliation conference at Arta town in Djibouti, Dr Galaydh was appointed the prime minister of the transitional national government (TNG) that emerged from the conference.

2012
Year state was created

VIOLENCE| Morsy overthrow marked



PHOTO | AFP

Supporters of the ousted Islamist president block a road with burning tires in Cairo's northern district of Matariya yesterday, following a rally marking the first anniversary of the 2013 brutal Cairo crackdown.

Three dead in Egypt clashes on anniversary

Ousted president's supporters attacked by police as they try to stage marches

CAIRO, Thursday

At least three people were killed in Egypt today as police quashed attempts by supporters of ousted Islamist president Mohamed Morsy to commemorate the first anniversary of a brutal Cairo crackdown.

On August 14, 2013, after then army chief and now President Abdel Fattah al-Sisi had removed Egypt's first freely elected president, the security forces set upon thousands of Morsy supporters at protest camps in Rabaa al-Adawiya and Nahda squares, leaving hundreds of people dead.

The assault was "one of the largest killings of demonstrators in a single day in recent history", the New York-based Human Rights Watch said in a report released ahead of Thursday's anniversary.

In Rabaa al-Adawiya alone at least 817 people were killed, HRW said, calling for investigations into likely "crimes against humanity".

Official estimates say more than 700 people were killed at the two squares on that day.

On Thursday, attempts by Morsy supporters to demonstrate were swiftly suppressed,

reflecting their dwindling ability to stage protests amid violent repression that has left more than 1,400 people dead since Morsy's overthrow in July 2013.

The pro-Morsy Anti-Coup Alliance had called for nationwide rallies on Thursday under the slogan "We Demand Retribution".

Two people, including a Morsy supporter and a bystander, were killed by gunshots when police clashed with Islamist protesters in west Cairo, a security official said.

Another person was killed when pro- and anti-Morsy groups clashed in north Cairo.

Police fired tear gas during clashes with pro-Morsy demonstrators in three neighbourhoods of the Mediterranean city of Alexandria and in the town of Kerdasa, southwest of Cairo.

Similar trouble was reported in the Nile Delta province of Sharqiya. (AFP)

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This is one of the largest killings of demonstrators in a single day in recent history”
New York-based Human Rights Watch

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- KBL in consultation with BCLB reserve the right to change participating outlets at any point in the promotion.
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- KBL shall not accept liability where a winner for one reason or another cannot access their money once it has been sent to them e.g. where Safaricom has suspended the recipient's M-Pesa account, or if they are not accessible via M-Pesa.

- If the winner cannot prove they are above 18 years of age, the prize will be forfeited and another winner selected.
- The winners of the trip to the UK shall be allowed to bring one companion each. The trip shall cover for return flights from Nairobi to London, 2 nights' accommodation for 2 and a chance to watch a football match in the UK. The companion selected by the prize winner shall be over the age of 18 years. Where the prize winner forfeits the prize the companion shall not be entitled to claim the prize on their behalf. Other conditions that will apply are as follows:
 - The trip shall not include travel insurance neither shall it cover any incidental costs incurred by the winner. The winner and his/her companion will receive a one off payment of KSh 20,000 each as a stipend
 - The trip must be completed within a month after the promotion period or the Prize will be forfeited
 - Once issued, tickets are nontransferable and may not be reissued once travel has commenced. It is the responsibility of the prizewinner to ensure they have a valid passport and travel insurance.
 - Open tickets may not be issued and stopovers are not permitted.
 - Extended length of stay by the winners will not be permissible.
 - KBL shall not be held liable for winners who fail to return after the trip to the UK.
 - Accommodation and travel is subject to booking, accommodation and flight availability. Once booked, any changes made to the booking may incur a cancellation fee or amendment fee, at the cost of the prize winner. The prize shall be subject to any prevailing terms and conditions of the accommodation or travel (as applicable), and in particular, health, behavior, age and safety requirements.
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- By agreeing to participate in the promotion you are giving KBL permission to contact you for further information.
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TENSION | Unclear when trucks arrive

Russian convoy rolls on towards Ukraine border

Kiev dispatches aid fleets of its own from three cities in areas it controls

DONETSK, Ukraine, Thursday

A massive Russian “humanitarian” convoy closed in on Ukraine’s border today despite doubts over whether the trucks would be allowed across, and as deadly fighting rocked rebel-held strongholds.

The nearly 300 vehicles headed towards southeastern Ukraine, even as intense shelling there in the insurgent bastions of Donetsk and Lugansk — where the trucks appear headed — sharply increased the death toll from fighting.

Health authorities in Donetsk, the centre of which was under heavy shelling by the army, said 74 people were killed in fighting over the past three days.

Government forces at the same time reported nine dead and 18 injured among its troops, following four months of fighting that have left over 2,000 dead and many residents without power, running water and with dwindling food supplies.

Meanwhile, Ukraine dispatched aid convoys of its own from three cities to a government-held eastern town as it tried to race Moscow to hand out much-needed aid to residents in the blighted region.

The Russian convoy, a three-kilometre file of white-tarpaulin-covered lorries, reached the Rostov region in

southwestern Russia Thursday, a spokesman for the Russian emergencies ministry in Moscow told AFP.

It was not immediately clear when the trucks would arrive at the border or whether Ukrainian officials would allow them to pass.

The convoy had earlier headed for government-controlled territory in the region of Kharkiv further west, with Kiev insisting only the aid and not the lorries would be allowed to cross the border.

On Wednesday however, President Petro Poroshenko’s office suggested the aid could travel more directly to the stricken east and be allowed into Ukraine under certain conditions. (AFP)



PHOTO | AFP

Column of trucks loaded with Ukrainian humanitarian aid prepare for its departure to the east of the country yesterday.

Obama and Clinton meet after negative comments

WASHINGTON, Thursday

President Barack Obama and Hillary Clinton broke bread yesterday, trying to defuse a bitter row over foreign policy as the former US secretary of state eyes a possible 2016 bid for the White House.

But aides did not immediately confirm whether the pair had indeed taken part in a highly anticipated conciliatory hug before 150 guests at a dinner on Martha’s Vineyard that was closed to the press.

“A good time was had by all,” said White House deputy spokesman Eric Schultz.

“The president and first lady also were happy to have the chance to spend time with

secretary Clinton and former president (Bill) Clinton,” Schultz said.

After a ferociously bitter battle with Obama for the 2008 Democratic presidential ticket, Clinton was a loyal lieutenant in the president’s first administration before she stepped down in 2013.

But the increasing probability of a Clinton presidential bid will place the 66-year-old’s relationship with Obama under scrutiny.

So far Clinton has remained silent on her intentions, yet all of her actions — a series of lectures, a tour to promote her latest memoir, media appearances — appear calibrated towards a 2016 campaign. (AFP)

Philippine leader may seek controversial second term

MANILA, Thursday

Philippine President Benigno Aquino has said he may try to change the constitution and serve a second term in office, a stunning announcement in a nation haunted by dictatorship.

The Philippines’ constitution restricts presidents to serving a single term of six years, designed to stop a repeat of dictator Ferdinand Marcos’s two-decade reign

that ended in a 1986 “people power” uprising.

Mr Aquino insisted for many years he was against constitutional change and that he would step aside when his term ended in 2016, but in a television interview aired on Wednesday night he indicated he was reconsidering.

“When I first got into this, I noted I had only one term of six years. Now, after having said that, of course I have to listen to the voice of my

bosses,” he said on the ABC-5 network.

Mr Aquino, 54, frequently calls Filipinos his “bosses”.

The president said he was considering the highly controversial move because he wanted to ensure his political reforms would continue.

Mr Aquino had been hoping Interior Secretary Manuel Roxas could contest the next elections and succeed him. But surveys have consistently shown the longtime ally to be unpopular with the electorate.

Nevertheless, Aquino emphasised that he had made no definite plans to try and stay in power for 12 years.

“It doesn’t automatically mean I will go after an additional term,” he said. (AFP)

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Age of the Philippine leader

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GREETINGS | ‘I extend best wishes to your excellency and your fellow citizens’

Pope sends China goodwill message as plane flies over

Beijing has set up its own Catholic Church administered by the Communist Party

SEOUL, THURSDAY

Pope Francis sent an unprecedented goodwill message to China's leadership today, offering his blessings to a nation mired in a long-running battle with the Vatican for control of its Catholic community.

The pontiff, who was flying to South Korea on his first papal visit to Asia, took advantage of protocol that sees him send messages to the leaders of any countries he flies over.

"Upon entering Chinese airspace, I extend best wishes to your excellency and your fellow citizens, and I invoke the divine blessings of peace and wellbeing on the nation," he said in the radio message to Chinese President Xi Jinping.

When Pope John Paul II visited South Korea in 1989, Beijing refused

to let his plane fly over China.

"We take note of Pope Francis's position," Chinese foreign ministry spokeswoman Hua Chunying said in a faxed response to AFP seeking comment on the message.

"China all along has retained sincerity toward improving China-Vatican relations," she said. "Furthermore, we continuously make active efforts in this respect."

"We are willing to continue making efforts with the Vatican to advance constructive dialogue and promote the process of improving bilateral relations," Chinese Catholics number 5.7 million according to official data and 12 million according to independent sources. They are divided

“We take note of Pope Francis’s position. China all along has retained sincerity toward improving China-Vatican relations”

Foreign ministry spokeswoman



South Korean President Park Geun-Hye with Pope Francis before their meeting at the presidential Blue House in Seoul yesterday.

between an official Church dependent on Communist authorities and an “underground” Church loyal to the Vatican.

Beijing and the Vatican have been at loggerheads since China severed ties with the Holy See in 1951. The atmosphere worsened when in 1957 China set up its own Catholic Church administered by the atheist Communist government.

In March last year, China said it hoped the newly elected Francis would take a “practical and flexible” attitude, warning the Vatican against “interfering in China’s internal affairs, including under the pretext of religion”. (AFP)

Pilot’s artificial arm comes off during landing

LONDON, Thursday

A pilot for a British budget airline briefly lost control of a flight after his artificial arm came loose during landing, an air accident report said today.

The Flybe plane carrying 47 passengers was coming in to land at Belfast City Airport from Birmingham on February 12 when the pilot's prosthetic forearm became detached from a special clamp fitted to the plane's yoke.


This caused the plane to land with a “bounce”, but no one was injured.

Flybe said it was proud to be an equal opportunity employer.

“The senior captain referred to in this report is one of Flybe's most experienced and trusted pilots,” said Captain Ian Baston, the firm's director of flight operations and safety. “The airline confirms that at no time was the safety of its passengers or crew compromised in any way, nor was the aircraft damaged.”

The report from the Air Accidents Investigation Branch said the 46-year-old pilot had checked that his prosthetic arm was securely attached to the clamp shortly before landing. He had disconnected the autopilot and was landing the plane manually when the arm came loose, forcing him to try to regain control with his right arm.

“He did this, but with power still applied and possibly a gust affecting the aircraft, a normal touchdown was followed by a bounce, from which the aircraft landed heavily,” the report said. (AFP)



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2	Provision of Medical Insurance Services	JOOUST/B23/14/15	29/08/2014

Detailed tender documents may be obtained from the Procurement Office, Main Campus, Bondo, during normal working hours from Monday to Friday between 8.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. upon payment of a non-refundable fee of KSh1,000, payable at **KCB Bondo Branch, JOOUST Deposit A/C No.1113046066** or downloaded free from the University website: www.jooust.ac.ke.


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**Vice-Chancellor
Jaramogi Oginga Odinga University of Science and Technology
P.O Box 210 – 40601
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or deposited in the Tender Box at the reception area, Administration Block, Main Campus in Bondo, so as to reach the University **not later than 10.00 a.m. on 29th August, 2014**. Opening of the tender documents will be done immediately thereafter at the East Africa Community Integration Institute (EACII) in the presence of tenderers or their representatives who wish to attend.

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Clarification on the Media Statement made by the WHO Kenya Representative during the Ebola Media Briefing held at Laico Regency Hotel on 13th August 2014

On 13th August 2014, the Ministry of Health and the World Health Organization organized for a media briefing at the Laico Regency Hotel. The purpose of this media briefing was to update the media on the current preparedness measures that are being taken by the government in order to prevent entry of Ebola into the country. The media briefing was attended by the Ministry of Health, World Health Organization, Kenya Airports Authority, Kenya Airways, KEMRI and many other partner organizations.

During the meeting, I informed the media that on 8th August 2014 the Director General of the World Health Organization had declared the Ebola outbreak in West Africa a Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC). This was because of the possible consequences of further spread which are serious in view of the virulence of the virus, the intensive community and health facility transmission patterns, and the weak health systems in the currently affected and most at-risk countries. I further added that the declaration provides specific actions to be followed by countries as follows:

- Category I - those affected with Ebola (4 countries)
- Category II - Those at risk of transmission
- Category III - all other unaffected states

Kenya is **not currently affected** by the outbreak of Ebola since it has not confirmed any case. In this regard it is clarified that due to air connectivity and geographical proximity to countries currently having the Ebola outbreak, most if not all African countries could be classified in category II. Therefore Kenya is not unique in terms of exposure and risk to transmission compared with other African countries.

The World Health Organization Kenya country office would therefore like to make this clarification that the country's Ebola risk profile has not changed as reported by the media.

We note and commend the country for its efforts in putting up measures to prevent possible importation, and implement early detection and containment measures if a case is detected.

On behalf of the World Health Organization I reiterate our continued support to the Government of Kenya and its partners in mitigating the consequences of the Ebola threat.

Dr. Custodia Mandlhate
**WHO Representative
Kenya**

TENDER NOTICE

The Geothermal Development Company Ltd (GDC) invites sealed tenders from eligible candidates for supply of the following items whose specifications are detailed in the tender document:

TENDER NO.	TENDER DESCRIPTION
GDC/PM/OT/008/2014-2015	Tender for Provision of Catering Services at Menengai Geothermal Project (Rigs 1 – 4 Camp).

Interested eligible firms may obtain further information, and obtain the tender documents at the office of the Manager, Supply Chain between 9.00am to 4.00pm during working days.

A complete set of the tender document may be obtained by interested firms upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Kshs.1000** each payable to our accounts office in cash or by banker's cheque. The document can also be viewed and downloaded from the website www.gdc.co.ke **free of charge or at no cost**. Bidders who download the tender document from the website **MUST** forward their particulars immediately for records and any further tender clarifications and addenda.

Tenders **must** be accompanied by an **original bid security of Kshs. 200,000.00** in form specified in the tender document

The completed tenders in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked with **Tender No. and Tender reference name**; shall be addressed to:

**The Managing Director & CEO,
Geothermal Development Company
P. O. Box 100746-00101
NAIROBI, KENYA**

and deposited in the tender box at the GDC Riverside Office **2nd Floor** located along Riverside Drive, **on or before 29th August 2014 at 2:00pm (1400Hrs).**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the tenderers' or their representatives who choose to attend at GDC Riverside Board Room.

There will be a **MANDATORY VISIT** to the **MENENGAI GEOTHERMAL SITE** on **22nd August 2014**. Prospective bidders are requested to assemble at the GDC Nakuru Polo Office 2nd floor situated along Kenyatta Avenue, Nakuru at 10:00am

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DIAMOND TRUST BANK TO EXPAND TO FIVE NATIONS AFTER SHARE SALE

Mid-tier lender eyes Rwanda, DRC, South Sudan, Mozambique, Madagascar as growth markets. **P.39**

REVENUE | Proposal could be part of Finance Bill, if approved by Finance, Trade and Planning teams

House budget committee mulls introduction of capital gains tax

Levy on profit made from sale of shares and property, capped at 30pc in 1985 when it was scrapped, could help the State raise over Sh8bn

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Capital Gains Tax might be re-introduced following a recommendation by a parliamentary committee.

The tax on profit made from the sale of shares and property would be making a comeback after it was scrapped in 1985. At the time, the rate was 30 per cent.

Members of the budget committee, led by the Rev Mutava Musyimi, said it was time the government reintroduced the tax to help it raise over Sh8 billion in new taxes.

This is expected to prevent "speculative cabals" involved in speculative land-buying to the extent that current real estate prices do not reflect the true value of the property.

Investors at the Nairobi Stock Exchange would also be taxed for the profits they make when they sell shares.

Making billions

"People are buying land very cheaply and in five years they make billions. We need to make sure that this money from land changing hands from one person to another is taxed so that we avoid this speculation," Kitui Central MP Benson Makali Mulu noted during the debate in Parliament yesterday.

But Mr Dennis Kariuki Waweru (Dagoretti South, TNA) said taxing profits from the stock exchange would scare away foreign investors.

"International capital is very sensitive to such a thing," said Mr Waweru.

He said about 50 per cent of traders at the securities exchange were foreigners who



BILLY MUTAI | NATION

Energy Cabinet Secretary Davis Chirchir (second right) and his Interior counterpart Joseph ole Lenku (second left) give a summary of last week's US-Africa Summit during a media breakfast meeting at Serena Hotel, Nairobi, yesterday. Taxing profits from the stock exchange, among other sectors, might scare away foreign investors.

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The monthly consumption of Senator beer in litres before reinstatement of excise tax, leading to a fall to 3 million litres

could very easily leave Kenya.

"I don't have an issue with land because the people who have colonised land in Isinya, Machakos and all the way to the beach plots need to pay that tax," said Mr Waweru.

Make part of Bill

Although it is not on the Finance Bill, the Budget team could, in the collaboration with the Finance, Trade and Planning Committee, have Capital Gains Tax made part of the Bill.

Also proposed by the Parliamentary Budget Office is the reinstatement of the excise tax remission on Senator Keg beer.

The price of the cheap beer manufactured by East African Breweries has doubled and consumption reduced from 20 million litres a month to about three million litres after the tax remission was removed.

Already, the brewer has held meetings with the Finance Committee, which is expected to agree with the Budget team before an amendment to the Finance Bill is made.

StanChart posts 33pc profit jump despite rise in bad debts



Mr Lamin Manjang, CEO

BY NATION CORRESPONDENT

Standard Chartered Bank recorded 33 per cent increase in after-tax profit during the first half of 2014 despite a significant growth in bad debts.

Riding on growth in non-interest income arising from sale of property, the bank's profit after tax rose to Sh6 billion between January and June 2014, compared with Sh4.5 billion in the same period last year.

Non-performing loans (NPLs) increased by a massive 284 percentage points to Sh14.6 billion, compared with Sh3.8 billion in the period under review,

with the management citing problems it had recovering loans from some corporate and institutional clients.

Precautionary monitoring

"While we do not see a broad-based deterioration in asset quality, we have increased the number of clients subject to additional, precautionary monitoring reflecting our proactive approach to managing risk in an uncertain environment," StanChart chief executive officer Lamin Manjang noted.

Total non-interest income rose by 30 per cent in the period to Sh5 billion, from Sh3.8 billion.

Interest income remained almost flat at Sh10.9 billion from Sh10.4 billion in the same period last year.

Income from foreign exchange dealings remained flat at Sh1.2 billion on account of low rates and low volatility environment resulting in margin compression, and offsetting the effects of volumes growth.

Fees and commissions increased to Sh2 billion, up from Sh1.9 billion in the comparative period.

Loans and advances increased by 11 per cent to Sh131.7 billion from Sh118.4 billion but customer deposits remained flat at Sh147 billion.

BRIEFLY

TRANSPORT

Airline starts low-fare booking platform

Jambojet yesterday launched an online platform to enable its customers access the lowest fares on offer. The airline said the "low fare finder" allows customers to see a wider range of fare options and the offer days at a glance, compared with other systems that require travellers to search each day for such information. But travellers need to book early to take advantage of the offer.

"This is a demonstration of our quest to offer easy and affordable travel options," said Jambojet chief executive Willem Hondius.

COMPETITION

Recovery of farmers union hits new hurdle

The hope of placing troubled Kenya Planters Cooperative Union on a recovery path faces a new problem, with allegations that there is a scheme to bring down the farmers' union. The union claimed before High Court judge Mumbi Ngugi that there are efforts by the Commissioner for Cooperative Development to frustrate the recovery plan so as to create undue advantage to a rival, Kenya Cooperative Coffee Exporters, who could eventually take over Kenya Planters Cooperative Union's assets.

PRODUCTION

Milk prices likely to increase as yields fall

Consumers should brace for higher milk prices in the coming weeks due to reduced production blamed on lower rainfall levels during the long season. The regulator, Kenya Dairy Board, says the prices are set to increase by five to 10 per cent, which will not be good news to consumers already reeling under higher inflation rates that hit 7.39 per cent in June. The board's MD, Mr Machira Gichohi, told the press in Nairobi yesterday that the sector had experienced a drop in milk yields and the trend was expected to continue until the next rains.

APPOINTMENT

Kenyan elected to top architects union

Mr Gideon Mulyungi has been elected Kenya's and Africa's representative to the International Union of Architects for a three-year term. Mr Mulyungi is a former Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Public Works. He joins three others from Morocco, Egypt and Tanzania who were also elected during the union's World Congress held last week in Durban, South Africa. The union is a world body of architects.

Online database of all Kenyans to start in October

the lands registry to create “one single source of truth” for all Kenyans.

Once complete, information about any Kenyan — including name, age, relatives, property owned and residence — will be available to government agencies at the click of a button.

It will also help identify foreigners who may have corruptly acquired identification documents.


Kenya has been the victim of terror attacks in the past few years, believed to be carried out by terror groups from Somalia.

“We will get to a point where you will not get basic public services without presenting your digital ID,” Ms Gatabaki said.

She said the information will also be used by banks, insurance firms, utility firms and other members of the Association of Kenya Credit Providers on a commercial basis.

Citizens will be issued with a digital ID, e-passport and e-driving licence.

Former information and technology permanent secretary Bitange Ndemo called for the fast-tracking of the Information and Data Collection Bill to take care of concerns about the security of individual personal details.



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		2 Months	Part Time	
Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT)	KCSE- Mean Grade D BIOLOGY D+, ENGLISH D+ and D in any other Science Subject in Chemistry/Physics	3 Months 3 Intakes per Year	Full Time	KRCS Training School, Nairobi and in Kisii
		6 Months 2 Intakes per Year Starting 22-09-2014	Part Time	
First Responder	KCSE- Mean grade D- BIOLOGY D, ENGLISH D	1 week 2 Intakes per Month	Full Time	KRCS Training School, Nairobi and in Kisii
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180.00	80.00	Kakuzi Ord 5.00		170.00		
167.00	110.00	Kapchorua Tea Co Ord 5.00		135.00		
670.00	450.00	The Limuru Tea Co. Ord 20.00		670.00		
30.00	16.20	Rea Vipingo Plantations Ord 5.00		27.50		
19.95	12.80	Sasini Ltd Ord 1.00	15.955	15.50	26,100	
320.00	210.00	Williamson Tea Kenya Ord 5.00		270.00		
Automobiles & Accessories						
50.00	21.50	Car & General (K) Ord 5.00	44.00	44.00	6,500	
-	-	CMC Holdings Ord 0.50		13.50		
13.00	8.00	Marshall's (E.A.) Ord 5.00		9.00		
9.40	4.50	Sameer Africa Ord 5.00	6.50	6.35	30,300	
Banking						
19.15	15.30	Barclays Bank Ord 0.50	17.20	17.05	197,700	
155.00	68.00	CFC Stanbic of Kenya Holdings Ord 5.00	127.00	128.00	160,700	
280.00	166.00	Diamond Trust Bank Ord 4.00	246.00	244.00	103,400	
50.00	29.50	Equity Bank Ord 0.50	45.75	45.25	3,129,000	
51.00	23.75	Housing Finance Co Ord 5.00	44.50	44.50	60,400	
147.00	85.00	I & M Holdings Ltd Ord 1.00	138.00	136.00	5,700	
60.00	41.25	KCB Ord 1.00	56.00	55.00	977,000	
39.25	18.60	NBK Ord 5.00	27.25	27.50	11,900	
68.00	54.50	NIC Bank Ord 5.00	68.00	63.50	65,500	
340.00	280.00	StandardChartered Ord 5.00	312.00	312.00	8,000	
25.00	14.80	Co-op Bank of Kenya Ord 1.00	19.05	19.05	733,400	
Commercial & Services						
8.00	3.55	Express Ord 5.00	6.35	6.10	900	
-	-	Hutchings Biemer Ord 5.00		20.25		
14.70	8.30	Kenya Airways Ord 5.00	10.35	10.45	436,400	
18.00	5.00	Longhorn Kenya Ord 1.00	16.95	16.90	6,200	
345.00	296.00	Nation Media Group Ord. 2.50	312.00	311.00	5,100	
78.00	42.50	ScanGroup Ord. 1.00	45.00	45.50	8,100	
36.00	25.00	Standard Group Ord 5.00	35.75	33.00	24,000	
53.00	32.00	TPS EA (Serena) Ord 1.00	36.00	36.00	61,900	
23.00	11.00	Uchumi Supermarket Ord 5.00	13.00	13.00	84,700	
Construction & Allied						
98.50	60.00	ARM Cement Ord 1.00	81.00	82.00	286,200	
220.00	170.00	Bamburi Cement Ord 5.00	175.00	174.00	2,700	
101.00	75.00	Crown Paints Kenya Ord 5.00	100.00	104.00	4,800	
18.00	13.50	E.A.Cables Ord 0.50	16.35	16.35	31,100	
110.00	52.00	E.A.Portland Cement Ord 5.00	73.50	75.00	5,300	
Energy & Petroleum						
17.90	8.70	KenGen Ord 2.50	10.20	10.15	383,500	
10.50	7.90	KenolKobil Ltd Ord 0.05	8.00	8.05	519,700	
16.00	12.85	KP&LC Ord 2.50	14.45	14.40	1,052,800	
7.50	6.70	KP&LC 4% Pref.20.00		8.00		
-	-	KP&LC 7% Pref.20.00		5.50		
28.75	15.85	Total Kenya Ord 5.00	24.00	23.50	2,200	
20.50	13.00	Umeme Ltd Ord 0.50		18.00		
Insurance						
25.75	7.80	British American Investments Co.0.10	24.25	24.25	340,400	
12.20	4.20	CIC Insurance Group Ord 1.00	9.00	8.75	974,900	
424.00	255.00	Jubilee Holdings Ord 5.00	382.00	380.00	6,000	
21.00	13.10	Kenya Re Corporation Ord 2.50	17.70	17.65	154,500	
23.00	11.05	Liberty Kenya Holdings Ord 1.00	17.90	17.90	19,200	
145.00	55.00	Pan Africa Insurance Ord 5.00	121.00	128.00	2,900	
Investment						
50.50	22.75	Centum Investment Co Ord 0.50	48.00	48.50	60,900	
6.40	3.50	Olympia Capital Holdings Ord 5.00	5.00	5.00	200	
37.75	20.00	Trans-Century LtdOrd 0.50	22.50	22.50	14,500	

Manufacturing & Allied						
-	-	A.Baumann & Co. Ord 5.00		11.10		
190.00	100.00	B.O.C Kenya Ord 5.00		146.00	141.00	700
700.00	521.00	British American Tobacco Kenya Ord 10.00	702.00	700.00		2,000
67.50	26.00	Carbacid Investments Ord 5.00	26.75	26.25		771,900
346.00	212.00	East African Breweries Ord 2.00	298.00	297.00		318,600
4.00	1.90	Eveready EA Ord 1.00	3.15	3.05		9,600
9.45	4.40	Kenya Orchards Ord 5.00	10.50	10.50	1,000	
4.20	2.25	Mumias Sugar Co. Ord 2.00	2.25	2.30		650,700
38.50	15.00	Unga Group Ord 5.00	33.50	33.00		19,400
Telecommunication & Technology						
13.40	7.45	Safaricom Ltd Ord. 0.05	12.75	12.80		2,964,900
Growth & Enterprise Market Segment (GEMS)						
17.25	3.20	Home Afrika Ltd Ord. 1.00	4.20	4.05		506,500
NSE All Share Index(NASI)-(1 Jan 2008=100 Up 0.860 points to close at 155.36						
NSE 20 Share Index Up 9.14 points to close at 5019..28 EquityTurnover-574,685,433 Prv- 371,028,276						
BANK RATES						
		Euro	\$	£	C\$	SF
BANK						IR
ABC	buy	117.58	87.85	147.51	-	94.72
	sell	117.89	88.05	147.89	-	94.98
Barclays	buy	117.50	88.00	147.70	80.53	96.83
	sell	117.94	88.20	147.21	80.86	97.26
Co-op	buy	117.59	88.00	146.77	80.58	96.93
	sell	117.88	88.20	147.14	80.81	97.18
Equity	buy	116.89	87.75	147.49	80.03	96.20
	sell	117.31	87.95	147.97	80.35	96.58
NBK	buy	118.68	88.80	148.15	81.35	97.83
	sell	118.25	88.50	147.59	81.10	97.51
KCB	buy	117.75	87.95	146.70	80.60	97.20
	sell	118.25	88.15	147.20	81.00	97.60
CBA	buy	117.55	88.00	146.64	80.11	96.99
	sell	117.93	88.20	147.12	80.74	97.25
CFC Stanbic	buy	117.46	87.95	146.72	80.55	96.87
	sell	117.74	88.15	147.05	80.74	97.09
GulfAfrican	buy	117.62	88.05	146.89	80.62	96.96
	sell	117.77	88.15	147.10	80.76	97.11
FCB	buy	117.40	87.70	147.30	80.20	96.70
	sell	118.00	87.90	148.30	80.70	96.80
Prime	buy	117.80	87.85	147.00	80.70	97.40
	sell	118.00	88.15	147.50	81.00	97.80
CBK RATES						
		Mean		Buy	Sell	
1 US Dollar		88.0769		88.0033	88.1506	
1 Sterling Pound		146.9640		146.8097	147.1183	
1 Euro		117.6031		117.4891	117.7172	
1 South African Rand		8.3122		8.3013	8.3231	
Ksh/Ush		29.6673		29.5857	29.7489	
1 Ksh/Tsh		18.8699		18.7974	18.9425	
1 Ksh/Rwanda Franc		7.8114		7.7595	7.8633	
1 Ksh/Burundi Franc		17.5985		17.2999	17.8970	
1 UAE Dirham		23.9796		23.9589	24.0003	
1 Canadian Dollar		80.6571		80.5840	80.7302	
1 Swiss Franc		96.9933		96.8938	97.0928	
100 Japanese Yen		85.8347		85.7467	85.9228	
1 Swedish Kroner		12.8010		12.7858	12.8162	
1 Norwegian Kroner		14.2808		14.2617	14.3000	
1 Danish Kroner		15.7759		15.7622	15.7897	
1 Indian Rupee		1.4422		1.4408	1.4435	
1 Hong Kong Dollar		11.3636		11.3541	11.3731	
1 Singapore Dollar		70.5773		70.5098	70.6448	
1 Saudi Riyal		23.4844		23.4644	23.5043	
1 Chinese Yuan		14.3137		14.3011	14.3262	
1 Australian Dollar		81.8455		81.7639	81.9271	

UNIT TRUSTS			
Money Market Funds		Daily Yield	Effective Annual Rate
African Alliance Kenya Shilling Fund	Kenya Shilling	7.05%	7.26%
Old Mutual Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	6.94%	7.17%
British-American Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	10.14%	10.67%
Stanlib Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	9.70%	10.15%
CBA Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	6.14%	6.33%
CIC Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	10.43%	10.94%
Zimele Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	9.0%	9.31%
Amana Shilling Fund	Kenya Shilling	9.84%	10.30%
ICEA Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	8.42%	8.78%
Madison Asset Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	10.17%	10.66%
GenCap Hela Fund	Kenya Shilling	10.95%	11.41%
UAP Money Market Fund	Kenya Shilling	10.47%	11.04%
Fixed Income Funds/Equity Funds/Balanced Funds		Buy	Sell
African Alliance Fixed Income Fund	Kenya Shilling	11.30	10.93
CIC Fixed Income Fund	Kenya Shilling	9.05	9.29
Standard Investment Income Fund	Kenya Shilling	94.91	95.85
African Alliance Kenya Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	195.29	183.40
ICEA Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	147.50	155.26
British-American Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	206.33	212.88
CBA Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	161.09	171.01
CIC Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	13.83	14.55
Old Mutual Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	389.90	417.77
Stanlib Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	176.32	176.32
Madison Asset Equity Fund	Kenya Shilling	52.30	55.54
GenCap Hisa Fund	Kenya Shilling	127.39	122.93
African Alliance Managed Fund	Kenya Shilling	22.12	20.83
British-American Managed Retirement Fund	Kenya Shilling	138.61	139.79
ICEA Growth Fund	Kenya Shilling	142.78	150.30
Amana Growth Fund	Kenya Shilling	111.36	111.36
British-American Balanced Fund	Kenya Shilling	194.67	200.36
CIC Balanced Fund	Kenya Shilling	13.16	13.78
Old Mutual Balanced Fund/Toboa	Kenya Shilling	158.39	168.66
Madison Asset Balanced Fund	Kenya Shilling	66.00	69.65
Amana Balanced Fund	Kenya Shilling	112.59	112.59
Zimele Balanced Fund	Kenya Shilling	5.65	5.82
Stanlib Balanced Fund	Kenya Shilling	129.62	129.62
GenCap Eneza Fund	Kenya Shilling	125.06	120.685
GenCap Iman Fund	Kenya Shilling	113.85	108.16
Stanlib Bond Fund B1	Kenya Shilling	101.26	101.26
Stanlib Bond Fund A	Kenya Shilling	100.95	100.95
Old Mutual East Africa Fund	Kenya Shilling	153.51	162.46
British American Bond Plus Fund	Kenya Shilling	144.16	147.10
GenCap Hazina Fund	Kenya Shilling	115.59	111.54
ICEA Bond Fund	Kenya Shilling	96.24	97.22
Old Mutual Bond Fund	Kenya Shilling	102.37	104.80
ARAB CURRENCY/\$			
Algerian Dinar		79.2212	
Bahraní Dinar		0.377701	
Djibouti Franc		177	
Egyptian Pound		7.15	
Jordanian Dinar		0.708	
Kuwait Dinar		0.28145	
Lebanese Pound		1510	
Libyan Dinar		1.2035	
Moroccan Dirham		8.2107	
Omani Riyal		0.38469	
Qatar Riyal		3.6406	
Saudi Riyal		3.7508	
Syrian Pound		148.05	
Tunisian Dinar		1.663	
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**INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING
FOR MODERNIZATION OF KENYA MEAT COMMISSION
TENDER NO. KMC/INT/01/2014-2015**

Kenya Meat Commission intends to modernize its plant and machinery to be in tandem with the best standards in global meat processing through upgrading and automating the following:

- Slaughter facilities to increase efficiencies and throughput;
- Refrigeration infrastructure to improve on cost efficiency;
- Energy infrastructure including steam generation and distribution system, and electricity usage to improve on efficiency;
- The canning infrastructure;
- The rendering and by products processing facilities;
- The value added products' lines and packaging technology to be in line with modern technologies and current market trends;
- The enterprise resource planning (ERP) system for meat and meat products to enhance accountability and traceability; and
- General infrastructure including structural design, water supply and waste management systems.

KMC invites suitable firms experienced in the field of abattoir design, construction and equipping with over 20 years experience to upgrade and modernize KMC.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from KMC's Head Office at Athi River, and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from 08.00 Hours to 16.00 Hours, East African Time from Monday to Friday except during lunch hours (13.00 Hours to 14.00 Hours), weekends and public holidays. Bidding documents are available in both hard and soft copies. Interested eligible bidders may also view and/or download the Bid Documents from www.kenyameat.co.ke. **However, submission of the Bids will be in hard copy only as electronic bidding will not be allowed/accepted.**

Qualification requirements include:

1. **Financial capability;** bidders shall include a letter from a reputable commercial bank indicating the financial status which will indicate their ability to perform the contract of the magnitude equivalent to quoted bid price. This evidence should be submitted with the bid.
2. **Experience and technical capacity;** bidders shall provide documentary evidence to demonstrate having executed at least 5 contracts of similar magnitude.

Additional information is provided in the bidding documents.

A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested eligible bidders from the address below upon payment of a non refundable fee of KES 1,000 or USD 13. The method of payment will be in cash or bankers cheque payable to Kenya Meat Commission Account No. 01120065670804 (in KES); or Account No. 02120065670800 (in USD); Bank Code 110033; Swift Code KCOOKENA; The Cooperative Bank of Kenya; Athi River Branch. Bid documents will be available for purchase from **Monday 18th August 2014**.

Bidders may also download the document free of charge, but they will be required to register with KMC at procurement@kenyameat.co.ke immediately on downloading. **Bidders who download the document and fail to register with KMC may have their bids not opened and/or evaluated.**

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **Wednesday 17th September, 2014 at 12.00 Noon East African Time**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend, at the KMC's Boardroom immediately thereafter. Late bids will be rejected. All Bids must be accompanied by Bid Security in USD as stipulated in the Bid Document and must be valid for 120 days from the date of closing the Bids.

The tenderer shall seal one (1) properly bound as original copy, one (1) copy of the bid document in a separate envelope duly marked **"Tender for the Modernization of Kenya Meat Commission, Ref No. KMC/INT/01/2014-2015"** and financial must be put in a separate envelope marked **"Financial"**. All the three envelopes shall be sealed in the outer envelope and be deposited in the tender box situated at KMC's main reception office on or before **Wednesday 17th September 2014 at 12.00 Noon East African Time**.

The Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any tender and does not bind itself for its action.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principals, we shall sell the under mentioned property by Public Auction.

PRIME PROPERTY – NAIROBI COUNTY
ON FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2014 AT OUR OFFICES – POPMAN HSE -11.00AM

All that parcel of land known as **L.R.NO. 209/2554/1** registered I.N.O. **KENYA SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES INVESTMENTS LTD** of P.O Box 60550 – 00200 Nairobi measuring 0.0981 Hectare or thereabouts. The property is easily indentified as **INOORERO UNIVERSITY** situated along Forest road near the junction with Limuru road and opposite Parklands Primary School.

Erected on the property is an 8 storey Educational block, an extension and power house, Accommodation – **Lower Ground floor:** IUASA Office, CISCO computer lab, Caretaker's office with internet boards, DVCRS office, Printer room, Secretarial pool, COD Sub office, COD/ICT office, COD/ICT room, D/COD/ICT office, Chairman's School of Law office, office management office, 2 No. Staffrooms, Ladies washroom with a lobby with a WHB, 4 No. Lavatories with a WC-Western type each, 3 No. WHB's and a mirror. Gents washroom with: - A lobby with a WHB, Urinal, 2 No. Lavatories with a WC-Western type each, Records office, 2 No. stores, 2 No. staff rooms, Registrar programmes office with a reception, Dean of student's office Registrar AR and S office, Reception. **Lower Ground Floor's Upper level:** Kitchen with a stainless steel sink unit, cupboards and a ceramic worktop. Reception: of similar construction details as the educational block save for the mono pitched clay tiles roof. Accommodation: 1 No. spacious room plinth area: 1,277.25 sq. ft. approximately. Power house: of similar construction details as the educational block save for the mono pitched clay tiles roof. pre-painted IT sheets on the walls internally plastered and awaiting painting.

Accommodation: 1 No. room plinth area: 65 sq. ft. approximately. **Upper Ground Floor:** Reception area, 8 No. Lecture halls, studio **Upper ground floor's Upper Level:** physically challenged wasroom with a WC-Western type, a washroom with: - Lobby with a WHB, 2 No. Lavatories each with a WC Western type, 1 No. WHB'S and a mirror. Ladies washroom with: - 3 No. Lavatories each with a WC-Western type, 3 No. WHB's and a mirror. **1st Floor:** Library, Baggage area, Multi media and electronic resource centre, Library centre, Processing centre, deputy university librarians office, University librarians office. **1st Floor Upper Level:** physically challenged and ladies washroom similar as the ones on the upper level of the upper ground floor. Cleaner's room. **2nd floor:** computer workshop with cupboards, information system lab, 6 No. computer server room, Electronics lab, Director ICT'S office. **2nd Floor's Upper Level:** Kitchen with a stainless steel sink unit, terrazzo worktop and inbuilt cupboards, Gents and ladies washroom similar as the ones in the **1st floor's upper floor level.** Cleaner's room **3rd Floor:** Administration office, store, 7 No. Lecture halls. **3rd Floor's upper level:-** Affords similar accommodation details as those on the **2nd floor's upper level.** **4th Floor** 7 No. Lecture rooms **4th Floor's upper Level:-** Affords similar accommodation details as those on the **2nd floor's upper level** save for the lavatories with a WC-Western type each. **5th floor:** Accounts office, Finance office with a reception area, Finance manager's office, R.O. office, Distance and E learning office, IEEC office, IBTM office, Human resources manager's office, vice chancellor's office with a reception area, university boardroom, File store, DVCAPD'S office, **5th Floor's Upper level:** Water tank storage area. **Attic Floor:** Gown's store, 3 No. Lecture halls. Examination hall plinth area: 63,053 1 sq. ft. approximately. Tenure of the property is leasehold for 50 years W.E.F from 1st May 2009

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1. All intended Purchasers are required to view and verify the details of the property for themselves as these are not warranted by the Auctioneers or the chargees.
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Water Services Trust Fund (WSTF), a Corporate body under the Ministry of Environment, Water and Natural Resources and established under the Water Act, 2002 has received funds from Government of Kenya, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF) and German Financial Cooperation (KfW) to finance the implementation of 'Up-scaling Basic Sanitation for the Urban Poor' (UBSUP) projects. The funds under this grant are to support construction of household and plot level sanitation facilities and related Decentralized Treatment Facilities (DTFs) in low income urban areas of Kenya through eligible Water Service Providers (WSPs).

In this 1st Call for Proposals, WSTF Services Trust Fund invites all **Eligible Water Services Providers** throughout the country to apply for funding for improvement of sanitation in the low income urban areas or low cost planned areas within their areas of jurisdiction.

Eligibility Requirements for applying for the grants

To qualify for this funding, the Water Service Provider must meet the following minimum requirements:

- a) Be duly registered under the Company Act and have a valid Service Provision Agreement.
- b) Be registered by the Water Services Regulatory Board.

Conditions for applying for funding:

- a) Proof of land and way leaves availability for the planned infrastructure related to the proposed sanitation project.
- b) The applying WSP that have benefited from WSTF under UPC funding must have completed all the WSTF-UPC projects up to 5th call for proposals and project accounts closed.
- c) No funding will be done to WSPs with pending audit issues.
- d) Proof of availability of a functioning exhauster either owned by the WSP, the county or a valid emptying agreement with a private operator.
- e) A valid sludge disposal license provided by the National Environmental Management Authority (NEMA).
- f) A collaboration agreement with the County Department of Public Health and the County Department of Environment.
- g) Proof of availability of site for construction of the DTF (copies of ownership documents with approval from the county authority).

Application Procedure

- a) Identification of project areas in line with Water Services Trust Fund Guidelines (www.wstf.go.ke) refer to the SafiSan Toolkit.
- b) Development of project proposal through filling in the standard UBSUP application form and attaching all the required supporting documents.
- c) Each project proposal must comprise 200 household toilets, at least one (1 No.) sludge decentralized treatment facility in case of absence of a functioning wastewater treatment plant and a software/ accompanying measures component. Each WSP must clearly describe the emptying and transportation mechanism within the jurisdiction of the WSP.
- d) The application form and other details can be obtained from Water Services Trust Fund Office, or via email on request, or downloaded from the website www.wstf.go.ke
- e) The project proposals must be endorsed/ approved by the respective County Government and Water Services Board before submission to Water Services Trust Fund.

All proposals must be submitted in one hard copy and the envelope clearly marked "UBSUP 1st Call for Proposals- UPC" and one soft copy on a CD-ROM to the address below:

**The Chief Executive Officer,
Water Services Trust Fund,
CIC Plaza 1st floor, Mara road, Upper Hill
P.O. Box 49699-00100
Nairobi.**

NB:

Water Services Providers are expected to work closely with their respective County Government during proposal development.

For Enquiries: Tel.: **0202729017/18/19**
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Closing Date

All proposals must be received by the Water Services Trust Fund at 5.00pm on or before **13th October 2014**.



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	Master of Science in Human Nutrition		Part time	Nairobi Campus
	Master of Science in Health Information Management	Be a holder of Bachelor's Degree in Health / ICT related field with a minimum of Second Class Honors Upper Division or GPA 3.00. Those with Second Class Honors Lower Division with at least two(2) years work experience will be considered.	Part time	Nairobi Campus
Under-graduate Programmes	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MB; ChB)	(i) KCSE C+ (Plus) with at least grade B (plain) in Biology, Chemistry, English and C +(plus) in Mathematics or Physics (ii) Advanced Level Holders: A minimum of 2 principal passes in Biology, Chemistry and a subsidiary pass in either mathematics or physics or equivalent. (iii) Holders of Diploma in Medical/Health Sciences: KCSE C +(plus) or Div II in O levels and in addition at least C+ (plus) or Credit Pass in Cluster subjects and at least a credit pass in the subsequent professional qualifications from a recognized medical training institution or equivalent.	Full time	Main Campus(Meru)
	Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm)	KCSE B-(minus)or equivalent qualification with cluster subject of KCSE C+ in Chemistry, Biology, Maths/Physics and English / Kiswahili or a Diploma in Pharmaceutical Technology from a recognized institution by the Pharmacist and Poisons Board	Full time	Main Campus (Meru)
	Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Direct entry)	KCSE C+ (plus) and in addition C+(Plus) in cluster subjects Maths/physics, English/Kiswahili, Chemistry, and Biology	Full time	Main Campus (Meru)
	Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Upgrade /in-service)	Diploma in Nursing or its equivalent with a mean grade of C (plain) or Division II and atleast 2 years work experience following NCK registration.	Fulltime/- Part-time	Main Campus (Meru) and Nairobi Campus
	B.Sc. Medical Laboratory Sciences – Direct Entry	KCSE C+ (plus) in addition, a C+(plus) in each of the following cluster subject Biology / Chemistry, English/Kiswahili and KCSE C(plain) in Mathematics / Physics	Fulltime/- Distance Learning Mode	Main Campus(Meru)
	B.Sc. Medical Laboratory Sciences – Upgrade/in-service)	Diploma or Higher Diploma from an institution recognized by KMLTB with KCSE C(plain)in Biology / Biological Sciences, Chemistry/Physical Sciences, Maths/Physics, English/Kiswahili	Fulltime/- Part-time/ Distance Learning Mode	Main Campus (Meru) and Nairobi Campus
	Bachelor of Science in Health System Management	KCSE C+(plus) or a Diploma in a Health related discipline	Part-time/Distance Learning Mode	Main campus (Meru) and Nairobi Campus
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Application Deadline 30th August 2014



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	August 15 - September 14, 2014	MAXIMUM PUMP PRICES		
		Super Petrol (PMS)	Automotive Diesel (AGO)	Kerosene (DPK)
TOWNS		KES/L	KES/L	KES/L
1 Mombasa		113.25	99.64	80.26
2 Kilifi		113.46	99.85	80.47
3 Likoni Mainland		113.58	99.97	80.59
4 Kwale		113.58	99.98	80.60
5 Malindi		114.15	100.55	81.17
6 Lungalunga		114.48	100.88	81.50
7 Voi		114.85	101.24	81.86
8 Taveta		116.41	102.80	83.42
9 Lamu		117.21	103.60	84.22
10 Nairobi		116.62	102.98	83.05
11 Thika		116.76	103.12	83.19
12 Machakos		116.76	103.12	83.19
13 Kajiado		117.05	103.41	83.48
14 Makuyu		117.21	103.57	83.64
15 Muranga		117.21	103.57	83.64
16 Sagana		117.30	103.66	83.73
17 Embu		117.84	104.21	84.27
18 Kerugoya		117.86	104.22	84.29
19 Narok		118.08	104.44	84.51
20 Nyeri		118.18	104.54	84.61
21 Namanga		118.28	104.64	84.70
22 Kiganjo		118.32	104.68	84.75
23 Chuka		118.36	104.72	84.79
24 Kitui		118.36	104.72	84.79
25 Mwingi		118.39	104.75	84.82
26 Nanyuki		118.78	105.14	85.20
27 Nkubu		119.03	105.39	85.45
28 Mtito Andei		119.28	105.64	85.70
29 Meru		119.30	105.66	85.73
30 Isiolo		119.86	106.22	86.29
31 Maua		119.86	106.22	86.29
32 Garissa		121.19	107.55	87.62
33 Marsabit		123.53	109.89	89.96
34 Liboi		124.07	110.43	90.50
35 Wajir		124.87	111.23	91.30
36 Mandera		130.43	116.79	96.86
37 Nakuru		117.23	103.84	83.82
38 Gilgil		117.24	103.84	83.82
39 Mogotio		117.29	103.89	83.88
40 Molo		117.39	103.99	83.97
41 Londiani		117.39	103.99	83.97
42 Nyahururu		117.47	104.07	84.06
43 Naivasha		117.58	104.19	84.17
44 Marihat		117.93	104.53	84.51
45 Kabarnet		118.50	105.10	85.08
46 Bomet		119.15	105.76	85.74
47 Maralal		121.39	107.99	87.97
48 Eldoret		118.38	104.98	84.85
49 Kapsabet		118.39	105.00	84.86
50 Webuye		118.58	105.18	85.04
51 Kitale		118.71	105.32	85.18
52 Kapenguria		119.12	105.72	85.58
53 Bungoma		119.14	105.75	85.61
54 Malaba		119.60	106.21	86.07
55 Lokichogio		126.26	112.86	92.72
56 Kisumu		118.45	105.05	84.84
57 Sondu		118.45	105.05	84.84
58 Oyugis		118.45	105.05	84.84
59 Kakamega		118.52	105.12	84.91
60 Bondo		118.74	105.34	85.13
61 Siaya		118.80	105.40	85.19
62 Kericho		118.93	105.54	85.33
63 Nyamira		119.06	105.66	85.45
64 Kisii		119.39	106.00	85.79
65 Sotik		119.63	106.23	86.02
66 Keroka		119.74	106.34	86.13
67 Busia		119.74	106.34	86.13
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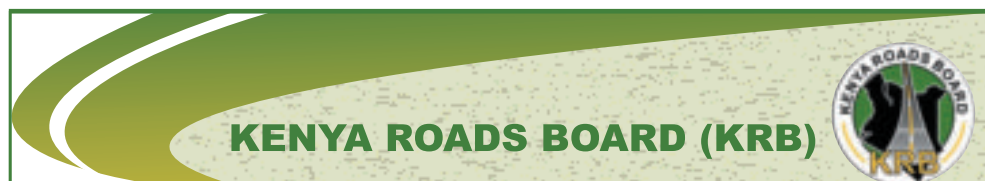
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Road Agency	Purpose	Disbursements
		FY 2013/2014
Kenya National Highways Authority	A, B, C (Major Trunk Roads)	10,829,287,711
Kenya Rural Roads Authority	D, E & Others (Rural Roads)	9,109,742,724
Kenya Urban Roads Authority	Urban Roads	4,326,118,225
Kenya Wildlife Service	National Parks	247,244,724
National Transport & Safety Authority	Safety First Campaign	50,000,000
Chief Engineer, Roads	Emergency Works	50,000,000
Kenya Roads Board	Operations	562,079,115
TOTAL		25,174,472,499

The funds have been released to respective road agencies to finance road works as per the Annual Public Roads Programme for FY 2013/2014

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Tender No. KFC- 07	Provision of Events Management Services	Open
Tender No. KFC- 08	Provision of Research Consultancy Services	Open
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The Chief Executive Officer,
Kenya Film Commission,
P.O Box 76417-00508
Nairobi

Not later than 10.00 a.m (Local time) on Friday August 29th, 2014

or deposit the tender in the Tender Box situated at the main door Kenya Film Commission office. Tender opening will be done immediately thereafter at the Kenya Film Commission Boardroom and bidders or their representative wishing to witness can attend.

Kenya Film Commission reserves the right to accept or reject the application (s) either in whole or part and is not bound to give reason(s) for its decision.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
KENYA FILM COMMISSION



INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL AND BOUNDARIES COMMISSION

VACANCY: COMMISSION SECRETARY/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The **Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission** is an independent Constitutional Commission established under Article 88 of the Constitution of Kenya. The Commission is responsible for conducting or supervising referenda and elections to any elective body or office established by the Constitution and any other elections as prescribed by an Act of Parliament.

Pursuant to the provisions of Articles 248(2), 250(12) and 252(1) (C) of the Constitution of Kenya and sections 10(1), 11 and 12 of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC) Act 2011, **the Commission hereby invites applications for the position of Commission Secretary/Chief Executive Officer.**

Functions and duties of Commission Secretary/ Chief Executive Officer

The Secretary shall, in the performance of the functions and duties of office, be responsible, answerable and report to the Commission. The Secretary shall be the Chief Executive Officer and the Accounting Officer of the Commission. The Secretary shall ensure the implementation of the Commission's decisions, policies and programmes. Specifically the Secretary shall be responsible for:

- **Providing requisite leadership to the secretariat to ensure the commission attains high level of professionalism and ethical standards in its entire mandate, policies and programmes;**
- **Heading the secretariat which shall perform the day to day administrative functions of the commission;**
- **Preparing the commissions annual plans and estimates;**
- **Overseeing financial and administrative management of the commission;**
- **Driving the commissions vision, mission through the implementation of the strategic plan;**
- **Mobilizing and managing the resources of the commission to achieve its core mandate;**
- **Assignment of duties and supervision of all employees of the commission;**
- **Facilitating, co-ordinating and ensuring execution of commission mandate;**
- **Ensuring staff compliance with public ethics and values;**
- **Ensuring custody of all commission assets and documents as the chief custodian;**
- **To specify accountabilities for the senior management and evaluate performance regularly;**
- **The performance of such other duties as may be assigned by the law and Commission;**

QUALIFICATIONS, SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE FOR APPOINTMENT

- Is a citizen of Kenya
- Possesses a degree from a recognised university in one of the following areas; electoral matters, management, finance, governance, public administration, law or Political science
- A Master degree or its equivalent will be an added advantage
- Has had at least five years proven experience at management level
- Applicants must have held senior management positions in large public/private organisations
- Has proven relevant experience in either; electoral matters, management, finance, governance, public administration, law or Political science
- Proven experience in financial management in a large public/private organisation
- Must be computer literate
- And meets the requirements of chapter six of the Constitution

Duration of Service

The Secretary/Chief Executive Officer shall hold office for a term of five years but shall be eligible for re-appointment for one further term of five years.

Integrity Clearance

In addition to the qualifications set above, the applicants must further meet and evidence the following clearances:

- Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC)
- Criminal Investigation Department (CID)
- Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA)
- Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP)
- Chief Executive Officer, Higher Education Loans Board
- Professional bodies (where applicable) to which the applicant belongs eg LSK, ICPAK, AAK, IEK etc
- Credit Reference Bureau Africa Ltd or Metropal Credit Reference Bureau

Security Clearance

All shortlisted applicants may be subjected by the Commission to a security clearance by National Intelligence Service (NIS)

Disqualification criteria

The following persons are and /or will be excluded:

- Any person who has at any time within the preceding five years held office or stood for election in presidential, parliamentary or county elections.
- Any person who has been a member of a governing body or any political party or affiliated groups to those political parties in the last five (5) years
- Canvassing shall lead to automatic disqualification.

Application submissions

Interested candidates are requested to submit their duly completed IEBC application Form together with an up-to-date curriculum vitae, copies of certificates and testimonials, email and telephone contacts together with names, telephone and email contacts of three (3) referees who must be familiar with the candidates previous work experience.

The IEBC Application Form is available at the IEBC website (www.iebc.or.ke) or may be collected from the 6th Floor, Anniversary Towers, University way, Nairobi.

Applications and supporting documents shall be:

- Delivered to the IEBC Chairperson, 6th Floor, Anniversary Towers, University Way, Nairobi: and/or
- Submitted electronically as PDF format attachment to: recruit@iebc.or.ke

The envelope should be clearly marked: **APPLICATION FOR COMMISSION SECRETARY/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER** and addressed to:

**The Chairperson
Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC)
6th Floor, Anniversary Towers, University Way,
P.O. BOX 45371-00100 GPO, Nairobi.**

To reach the IEBC Chairperson on or before 5.00pm on **Friday, 5th September 2014.**

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- Trade Certification for working on diesel/petrol engines and hydraulic systems.
- Have at least 4 year's experience in a supervisory position within a busy fleet maintenance workshop.
- Willing to work long hours and be on standby weekends & nights in case of urgent assignments.

Please send your applications before **29th August 2014** to;
Senior Recruitment, P.O. Box 49862, Nairobi, Kenya, 00100.
or send by email;
recruitment@steelstructureskenya.com



DEPUTY COUNTRY DIRECTOR, SOMALIA

ORGANIZATIONAL CONTEXT

Adeso is an expanding and vibrant African based international development and humanitarian organization. We work with communities to create environments in which Africans can thrive. Our belief that economic, social and environmental security is the bedrock of a healthy community drives the nature and intent of our programming.

POSITION SUMMARY

Adeso is seeking to fill the position of the Deputy Country Director (DCD) for Somalia. In collaboration with the Somalia Country Director (CD), the position is primarily responsible for the ongoing program planning and development, implementation, and daily oversight and management of Adeso's Somalia programs. The DCD is responsible for ensuring that all programmatic deliverables are met, that programs remain on schedule, that program quality is assured, and that staff have access to all necessary technical resources. This includes oversight of program support functions in Somalia. The position is based in Garowe, Somalia with frequent travel to Nairobi. The DCD reports to the Somalia CD and serves as the Acting CD in the absence of the CD. The DCD provides management oversight of all Program Managers.

Please check http://adesoafrika.org/jobs_categories/somalia/ to view the full job description and apply by **C.O.B 5th September, 2014**. This is an attractive position with a competitive salary and benefits.

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The International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) is an impartial, neutral and independent organisation with the exclusively humanitarian mission to protect the lives and dignity of victims of war and internal violence and to provide them with assistance. It also endeavours to prevent suffering by promoting and strengthening International Humanitarian Law and universal humanitarian principles. The ICRC's Regional Delegation in Nairobi co-ordinates the institution's humanitarian activities in Kenya, Tanzania and Djibouti. It also runs regional specialist units that provide support and expertise to the ICRC's delegations in Africa. The Regional Delegation in Nairobi is seeking for an experienced and highly motivated person to fill the position mentioned below, who will be based in Nairobi.

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT) TECHNICIAN

The ICRC Regional Delegation in Nairobi is seeking for an experienced and highly motivated person to fill the above-mentioned position.

- RESPONSIBILITIES:**
- Provide support by assisting computer users on a day to day basis;
 - Ensure proper functioning of computers, printers and the network environment;
 - Assist in the introduction of computer technologies and ensure error free standard software and hardware installed and configuration on workstations according to ICRC policy;
 - Install and maintain connectivity devices on ICRC LAN's;
 - Train, support and advise computer, radio and telephone users in the region;
 - Administer and maintain IT inventory;
 - Plan, install, maintain and repair all the radio communication systems (i.e. Mobile & fixed radio installations, repeaters, operational radio room) in the region;
 - Undertake Field Missions within the region as requested.

- MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**
- Degree/Diploma in Information Technology;
 - Professional certification in a Network Operating System or Software Development;
 - Good knowledge of computer hardware / software, utilities, printers and peripherals;
 - Experience in HF & VHF radio installations and technologies;
 - At least (3) three years experience in Network Administration;
 - Knowledge of French is an added advantage.

- Other requirements:**
- Good organizational, interpersonal, communication and analytical skills;
 - Ability to work independently and in a team;
 - Flexibility to work under pressure.

Interested and qualified persons, with the required experience are invited to submit their application to the head of Human Resources on the below address, before **22nd August, 2014. (Indicate the position title on the subject line).**

Please include; Detailed curriculum vitae, copies of certificates, current and expected remuneration and contact details of three referees.

Please note that only short-listed candidates will be contacted.
Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification

International Committee of the Red Cross,
Nairobi Regional Delegation, Denis Pritt Road, P.O.Box 73226, Nairobi, 00200, Kenya:
E-mail: nai_hr@icrc.org



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RADIO OPERATOR

The ICRC Regional Delegation in Nairobi is seeking for an experienced and highly motivated person to fill the above-mentioned position.

- Responsibilities:-**
- Maintain HF continuous communication with ICRC mobile stations and personnel in the field for locations, status, and security reports. Assist other mobile stations in relaying of information in case of propagation problems;
 - VHF radio contacts with mobiles stations and ICRC personnel within range for regular communication pertaining to their operations. (e.g. Pick-ups, Welcome Services, Nursing care etc);
 - Monitor Mobile Stations, ICRC Aircraft movement and Information Technology Local Area Network using the recommended monitoring tools and take necessary actions or escalate incidents to the relevant offices to address any incidents that may arise;
 - Maintain station logs of messages transmitted and received for operations;
 - Assist in training of Radio Communication operations to users in the Delegation and the greater region when called upon;
 - Conduct periodic equipment inspections and routine tests in order to ensure that operations standards are met;
 - Broadcasting of information concerning Security Alert locally, using relevant means, i.e. VHF, SMS, or phones;
 - Faxing of documents as requested by departments within the Delegation;
 - Scanning of documents as requested by the Departments within the delegation;
 - Record Unit Manager – Electronic Filing;
 - Attending to telephone calls during the night times, public holidays, and other times in the absence of the switchboard operators, testing telephone lines and reporting any faults to the IT Helpdesk;

- Minimum requirements:**
- Diploma in Radio Telephony and communication;
 - Qualified Air operations communicator;
 - Computer Literate;
 - Good command of English and Swahili language both written and oral;
 - Minimum 3 years' experience in a similar job from a reputable organisation.

- Other requirements:**
- Ability to listen closely, clear verbal communication, high sense of confidentiality;
 - Ability to work independently, good team spirit, ability to work in a cosmopolitan environment;
 - Ability to work under pressure, willingness to work on shift basis.

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Lutheran World Federation
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Lutheran World Federation/Department for World Service Kenya-Djibouti Programme (LWF) is seeking to recruit a suitable candidate for the following positions, to be based in Dadaab Refugee Camp.

- 1. EDUCATION OFFICER**
He/She will be responsible for coordinating and overseeing operational plans in the Education Department. He/she will work hand in hand with the other Education Officers to improve the proper operations and management of the Education Sector. The incumbent will report directly to the Senior Education Officer or his/her designate, while working closely on a daily basis in collaboration with Education staff and other sectors of LWF.

- Duties and responsibilities will include:-**
1. Setting short and medium term Education program plans and budgets in liaison with the SEO and other Education Officers; and plans and monitors performance against those plans.
 2. Assisting with planning and design of primary education activities and measures of achievement and collecting data for LWF/DWS Education performance monitoring plan, especially with regard to education indicators.
 3. Overall in charge of school supplies (teaching and learning materials which includes: Making requisitions on quarterly basis of the required school materials and equipment, Distribution of the same to all schools in good time for appropriate utilization,
 4. Ensuring regular communication and interaction between the Education Sector Management staff and teachers, and the school management committees, Refugee Education committees, District Education Office, and other development partners and agencies.
 5. Continuing to investigate gender imbalances in education service provision in the schools, and designing and implementing initiatives aimed at increasing enrolment and improving retention and performance of girls in the schools.
 6. Monitoring progress and impact of the primary education unit through regular school visits.
 7. Reviewing annual work plans and activity plans of the unit for comprehensiveness, clarity and adherence to LWF/DWS Somali Refugee Assistant Project-Dadaab goals and objectives.
 8. Working with teachers and others to ensure the meaningful participation of learners in all aspects of the unit.
 9. Overseeing data collection and analysis in order to facilitate accurate and prompt provision of qualitative and quantitative information that will inform management on administrative and policy decision making.
 10. Arranging the sharing of ideas between teachers and schools and coordinating the work of head teachers, school management committees and school inspectors in the camp.
 11. Participate in all educational and other activities including midterm reviews organized by the LWF and other CPs like WFP and UNHCR

- Professional Qualification:**
1. A degree in education is the preferred qualification. A social science degree in a related discipline would also be considered.
 2. Proven training in curriculum development and implementation, and educational administration.
 3. Proven academic or on-job training and understanding of the Project Cycle model in managing humanitarian assistance.

- Relevant Experience:**
1. 3 years of progressive experience in primary education programs for refugees or rural communities. Experience gained within an international humanitarian NGO will be an added advantage.
 2. Strong analytical, administration and documentation skills in the management of educational institutions or programs consisting of primary education.
 3. Experience in proposal and report writing and excellent computer skills.
 4. Experience in Training of Trainers/Facilitators skills (TOT & TOF) an advantage.

- 2. COMMUNITY SERVICE AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICER**
He/She will be responsible for coordinating and overseeing operational plans in the Community Service Department, while working hand in hand with the other Sector Heads to improve proper operations and management of the Community Service Sector. The incumbent will report directly to the Project Coordinator.

- Duties and responsibilities shall entail but not limited to:**
1. Responsible for development of unit specific concept notes, project proposals and budgets.
 2. Provide technical support to your supervisees in project planning, implementation and M&E of the sector activities
 3. Support Programme that benefit the community and in line with the vision and mission of the Organization
 4. Coordinate needs assessment in units within the sector
 5. Support in training and building capacity of Community Service Staff.
 6. Responsible for direct supervision and management to all staff within the community service sector
 7. Responsible for Community Service Staff appraisal
 8. Responsible for all other forms of sector specific documentations which include regular Human interest stories, success stories, best practices
 9. Responsible for drafting of sector specific consultancy ToRs/MoUs.
 10. Further responsible for spearheading dissemination processes and workshops that touch on community service sector.

- Professional Qualification:**
1. A degree in social science, project management, community Development from a reputable institution or a related discipline would be considered.
 2. Working knowledge and experience of humanitarian principles, SPHERE and UNHCR standards and field security protocols and procedures
 3. Excellent computer skills in word processing, database management, spreadsheets, use of internet and email.
 4. Proven academic and/or on-job training on "Project Cycle Management".

- Relevant Experience:**
1. At least 3 years of progressive experience gained within an international humanitarian NGO will be an added advantage.
 2. Previous interaction with Persons Living with Disabilities (PWD's) will be an advantage.
 3. Experience and skills in developing proposals, concept papers and reports writing.
 4. Ability to manage a team and relate well with the host community.
 5. Experience in conducting trainings, facilitation and capacity building of staff

- 3. AUDIOLOGIST**
He/She shall be responsible for provides hearing evaluation and consultation services to the learners to facilitate the personal, social and intellectual development. In order to respond to individual needs of the learner at Dadaab refugee camp. He/she must work closely with the staff and administration of the EARC.

- Duties and responsibilities shall include but not limited to the following:-**
1. Planning, coordination and program development
 2. Coordinate audiological services with the SNE services provided in the camp and manage its effectiveness,
 3. Design and implement a mass hearing screening program to meet the local education needs.
 4. Responsible for scheduling appointment for audiological evaluation, administering standard diagnostic tests and procedures in keeping with individual learner needs
 5. Responsible for making recommendations regarding the need for further audiological or other support services Coordinate ontological services, assist in making decisions on placement and assessment services for other children being considered as children with special needs.
 6. Assist teachers in the development and implementation of curriculum modification and appropriate classroom strategies.
 7. Monitor learner's progress and make informed, timely educational decisions.
 8. Provide individual assistance to hearing learners with communication or educational deficits.
 9. Performs other tasks and assumes other responsibilities as assigned by supervisor.

- Essential Qualifications/Professional Skills**
1. Bachelors in Education specialising in Special Needs Education
 2. Bachelors in Audiology
 3. 4years working in an Educational Assessment Centre (EARC) or any related field.
 4. Knowledge in Audiometric testing and interpretation
 5. Previously worked in a hardship or marginalized area.
 6. Proficient in the use of computers for basic office packages such as M/s office suit.

- Preferred Personal Attributes**
1. Should be proactive, independent, aggressive and passionate about the client business.
 2. High level of integrity, commitment and professional responsibility.
 3. Strong inter-personal and team building skills.
 4. Ability to tolerate cultural, educational and religious diversity in the work place.
 5. Excellent communication, organization and presentation skills.

LWF is an equal opportunity employer, irrespective of gender, race or religious affiliation. Female candidates are encouraged to apply. LWF is a signatory to the Code of Conduct for humanitarian agencies. Our recruitment and selection procedures reflect the organization's commitment to the prevention of abuse and exploitation of beneficiaries.

Please email your application letter and attach updated CV with contact emails and phone numbers of 3 professional referees, preferably your current or immediate former employer addressed to;

The Human Resources Officer, Lutheran World Federation Kenya-Djibouti,
P.O Box 48, Dadaab or Email to: Lwf.nbi.kenya@gmail.com
Closing date: 22nd August 2014
Only short-listed candidates will be contacted



VACANCIES

In partnership with Anglican Overseas Aid (Australia) the Mothers Union of the Anglican Church of Kenya, Diocese of Mt Kenya West, (MUACK) is implementing an Australian government funded maternal-child health (MCH) project with the nomadic pastoralist communities in Laikipia and Samburu.

The project is expanding and has the following vacancies:

- **Program Quality Officer and Assistant PQO.**
- **Two nurses, preferably with MCH knowledge, one based in Laikipia and one in Samburu.**
- **A Monitoring and Evaluation Officer on a separate livelihoods project covering Nyeri and Laikipia County's.**

Further information, position descriptions and application procedures can be found at www.anglicanoverseasaid.org.au/act/workwithus

Applications close at **5pm on 31 August 2014.**

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JOB VACANCY

A fast growing Building Construction company in Kenya is seeking to recruit the following personnel.

1. SITE ENGINEERS

Qualifications/Experience

- Bachelor's degree in Civil and Structural Engineering or related field.
- 5 years experience in supervising major building construction works.
- Having experience in several multi-storey building projects (10 floors and above).
- Having worked in a similar position in a busy construction company

2. SITE AGENTS

Qualifications/Experience

- Higher National Diploma in Civil and Structural Engineering or Building Construction.
- 5 years experience in supervising major building construction works.
- Having experience in multi-storey building projects.
- Having worked in a similar position in a busy construction company

Interested applicants who meet the above minimum qualifications should submit their application with current CVs and Certificates together with the expected salary to the address below by **22nd August 2014.**

DNA 1708
P. O. BOX 49010 - 00100
NAIROBI.

EXCITING CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

We are in the horticultural industry and are seeking to recruit candidates for the following positions based in the Naivasha area.

Human Resource (HR) Officer

HR Officer to lead the operation of the HR Department. The successful candidate will assess the organisational needs and develop human resource strategies.

Qualifications:

- The ideal candidate will have previous HR leadership experience, as well as excellent interpersonal, communication and organisational skills.
- Have at least three (3) years working experience in the industrial or horticultural sectors.
- A University Degree or professional qualification in related discipline is preferred.

Stores Officer

Store Officer to be in charge of a fully operational and busy store. The successful candidate will ensure that stores remains sufficiently stocked.

Qualifications:

- The ideal candidate must have attained professional qualification (diploma or equivalent) in stores management.
- Have at least three (3) years working experience in a reputable industrial business.

If you meet the above criteria please send your application, copies of your academic and professional certificates and detailed CV stating your current and expected remuneration to the Finance and Admin Manager, Stokman Rozen Kenya Ltd to P. O. Box 2029, 20117, Naivasha or info@srk.co.ke to reach us **on or before the 27th August 2014.**



VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Dairy Value Chain Advisor (1 Position)
Short-Term Dairy Consultant (1 Position)

SNV Netherlands Development Organization (Kenya) <http://www.snvworld.org/en/countries/kenya> is a Dutch based International Development Organization that provides market based solutions for the poor through local institutions and organisations in 38 developing countries in Asia, Africa and Latin America.

SNV Kenya has multi-year programs in water & sanitation, horticulture, school feeding, extensive livestock and dairy, and operates from offices in Nairobi, Nanyuki and Eldoret.

SNV's activities in the dairy sector are implemented through the Kenya Market-led Dairy Programme (KMDP). KMDP is a 4.5 year program (1 July 2012 – 31 December 2016) funded by the Netherlands Embassy in Nairobi and implemented with various stakeholders in the dairy sector.

For the work in North Rift milk sheds, SNV wishes to recruit a Dairy Value Chain Development Advisor and a Dairy Consultant to manage and coordinate the interventions and work with farmer groups, dairy societies, processors and input/service providers. Qualified and interested candidates are invited to apply through the following link:

Value Chain Advisor: <https://snv.devhire.devex.com/jobs/329429>

Dairy Consultant: Same profile but consultancy terms



Vacancies

Sameer Agriculture & Livestock (K) Ltd, a leading company in FMCG would like to recruit Sales supervisors and sales representatives

Sales Supervisor

- Graduate /diploma in the relevant field
- 2 years experience in FMCG
- Able to lead and motivate a team of sales people
- Should be able to grow and monitor the market trends
- Provide input to and implementing the retail strategy

Sale Representatives

- A diploma/certificate in relevant field
- Able to work under minimum supervision
- Able to deliver set targets
- 2years experience in FMCG

If you meet the above requirements send your CV to hr@sall.co.ke, sanjiv@sall.co.ke, jyotishkannan@sall.co.ke or come with it for the **interview** at our offices olesoi rd off Lunga Lunga rd. on **Monday 18th August 2014** and **Tuesday 19th August 2014** as from **10.00 am to 3.00pm.**

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

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- 4) Sales man / Sales lady
- 5) Leather Lab Technician
- 6) Accountant - CPA / BA Holder
- 7) Mechanical Electrician
- 8) Receptionist
- 9) Shoe Artisans

Interested candidates are kindly encouraged to forward their curriculum vitae and applications letters via email to:-

The Human Resource Manager at
reddamacleathercenter@gmail.com /
reddamacleathercentre@yahoo.com on /
or before 23rd August 2014.



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RTI's International Education Division is supporting education development around the world by strengthening education policy, management and practice in order to achieve measurable improvement in teaching and learning.

RTI is recruiting for multiple positions for a four-year education project in Kenya. The USAID-funded Kenya *Tusome* Early Grade Reading project is a basic education initiative to improve the reading skills of approximately 5.4 million Kenyan children.

The **Deputy Chief of Party- Programs** The DCOP Programs will oversee, supervise and guide the technical aspects of this large, national project. She / he will support the Chief of Party in leading project implementation and coordinating State level project. As a member of the Senior Management Team She / he will work closely with the DCOP Operations and serve as the acting COP as required. She / He will oversee and provide guidance and support to technical staff to implement program components, including support for early grade reading instruction, teacher training, and youth and partnership funds management. **Qualifications:** A Master's degree with 12 years of relevant professional engagement in the education sector with proven management and implementation experience. Prior experience managing large-scale projects of US \$20 million or more with geographically dispersed teams is preferable. Prior experience and familiarity with donor project management policies, procedures and reporting requirements a must, particularly USAID. Excellent interpersonal, communication, organizational, financial management and team work skills required, along with fluency in English.

The **Regional Officer** will oversee technical, administrative, and financial operations of the regional office. The Regional Officer is responsible for ensuring the smooth operation of technical efforts in the field by coordinating programmatic information and providing support to facilitate the implementation of activities. This is a field based position whose actual location will be determined. **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in Social Sciences with at least 8 years' of experience in the management and coordination of development programs in the education sector. Experience in planning and coordinating project and field program work is required. Experience with donor program management policies, procedures and reporting requirements is a must.

The **Training Specialist** will have the overall responsibility for organization and implementation of *Tusome* project capacity building/ training activities, workshops, conferences, and stakeholder meetings. She / He will coordinate logistical arrangements for all field based program activities, events, etc. and work closely with Technical staff to ensure the successful implementation of training activities. She / He will facilitate collaboration with other USG assisted programs when training needs or activities overlap with those of *Tusome* Project. This is a field based position whose location will be determined. **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in Social Sciences with at least 10 years' experience or MA degree plus 6 years' experience. Excellent coordination, organizational, and managerial skills. Excellent communication and interpersonal skills required.

The **Education Officer** will provide technical support for the development of lesson plans, teacher/ student materials and specified frameworks as funded by the client and agreed with the Ministry of Education. These include working with RTI technical staff to identify, develop, and harmonize effective literacy and numeracy instructional approaches to be used in the early grades. The Officer will also provide support for TAC tutors and instructional coaches working to implement revised lesson plans. This is a field based position whose actual location will be determined. **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in Social Sciences with at least 8 years' of experience in the management and coordination of development programs in the education sector. Experience in planning and coordinating project and field program work. Experience with donor program management policies, procedures and reporting requirements.

To Apply, please email cover letter and CV to hrrapplications@nb.rti.org by **August 22, 2014**. Applicants must include the POSITION TITLE in the subject line of their email. Please do not attach copies of certificates. We regret that only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.

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RTI's International Education Division is supporting education development around the world by strengthening education policy, management and practice in order to achieve measurable improvement in teaching and learning.

RTI is currently seeking multiple staff for an **Early Childhood Development (ECD)** Program. This is a four year education programme focused on improving the quality of ECD outcomes, systems and instruction through the development of early reading, mathematics, psychosocial and health skills and concepts The project will consist of a main office in Nairobi and two County offices, potentially in Kisumu and Machakos, that will be charged with implementing interventions at the County level.

The **Finance Manager** will be responsible for leading the financial management and reporting system for the program and support the achievement of the program goals in a manner that is consistent with financial management principles. S/he will be responsible for maximizing the strategic use of accounting systems and maintain functions such as general accounting, financial tasks, and accounting records. **Qualifications:** A Master's degree with 9 years of relevant experience or a Bachelor's degree in Commerce, Finance or a related discipline with a minimum of 12 years of relevant experience, developing and ensuring implementation of financial policies and procedures. A minimum of 5 years of experience in managing teams is required. Sector related experience desired. Previous accounting experience, preferably on a donor funded program required.

The **Senior Accountant** will be responsible for day-to-day accounting functions of the ECD program in a manner that supports the efficient management of financial transactions and reporting. This function will be executed by ensuring proper documentation, accuracy and timely reporting, follow up on advances, support to finance and non-finance personnel to ensure adherence to policies. **Qualifications:** Bachelor's degree in Commerce, Finance or a related discipline with at least 6 years of relevant sector experience; a master's degree is a plus. Previous accounting experience, preferably on a donor funded program. Knowledge of institutional accounting and budgeting practice is required.

The **Human Resources Manager** will effectively manage the overall provision of Human Resources services, policies and programs, to ensure donor compliance and proper employment practices. She / he will ensure all Human Resources Systems support the achievement of the project. She / he will lead HR programs of recruitment, performance management, HR administration, development and implementation of HR policies. **Qualifications:** Bachelor's degree in Human Resource Management or a related discipline with at least 6 years of relevant sector experience; a master's degree is a plus. Thorough knowledge of Kenya labor laws required. Excellent interpersonal skills, proven record in negotiating diplomatically and the ability to manage multiple priorities and demanding timeframes.

The **Communications Specialist** will support raising awareness of the programs work and advise program staff on communication issues including; approaches, consistency of language use, content of publications and press releases. She/ He will undertake the generation of messages for public consumption through program success stories talking points for national and international events, press releases, reports, fact sheets, newsletters, PowerPoint presentations, and others. **Qualifications:** Master's degree in Communication or a related discipline with three years of relevant sector experience. Fully competent in information systems, particularly in publication software. Experience working on a donor funded project pertaining to Education.

The **Program Assistant** is responsible for supporting the smooth operation of technical efforts and field activities by providing administrative, operational, and logistical support for technical activities of the project through the Office of the Chief of Party. She / he works closely with Chief of Party and the project Senior Leadership Team to support the day-to-day operations and administrative management of the technical project activities. She / he will ensure that tasks are carried through to completion and that information is disseminated to both internal and external stakeholders accordingly. She / he coordinates all communication with and support to the project by working closely with Finance, Administration, Operations, Programs as required by the Chief of Party. Additionally, she / he is knowledgeable about the technical project result areas, work plan implementation, and scheduled technical reporting through regular interaction with the technical team as required by the Chief of Party **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in Business Administration/ Management with a sound knowledge of project or office management and experience in documentation. At least five years' experience in providing administrative support to project leadership on a donor-funded program.

The **ECD Officer** will oversee the technical operations of the field office, supporting particular county offices. The ECD officer is responsible for ensuring the smooth operation of technical efforts in the field by coordinating programmatic information and providing support to facilitate the implementation of activities. This is a field based position whose actual location will be determined. **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in Social Sciences with at least 8 years of experience in the management and coordination of development programs in the education sector; ideally in ECD, health/nutrition or related field. Experience in planning and coordinating project and field program work. Experience with donor program management policies, procedures and reporting requirements.

The **Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Director** will ensure the establishment and implementation of an effective and efficient system to monitor progress, impacts, and successes of project activities and performance at all levels, and across the three counties. The position will be based in Nairobi. **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in a relevant field (Master's Degree is preferred); At least 12 years of experience in design, monitoring, evaluation, and knowledge management for governance or related sector projects. Demonstrated experience and familiarity with behavioral surveillance surveys, research methodologies, qualitative and quantitative research methods, data analysis, sampling techniques and establishing M&E systems in developing countries; Experience developing and administering assessments and other tools in early grade reading, early childhood development, school readiness, health/nutrition a plus.

The **Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Assistant** will work closely with the Monitoring and Evaluation Director and is responsible for supporting M&E initiatives for the program. She / he will; ensure accurate and valid data management, undertake data entry, and ensure that essential and ongoing M&E data is properly accounted for. The M&E Assistant will also oversee special studies, contribute to study reports, and to regular reporting. She / he will provide direct assistance to build clients' capabilities in M&E and act as a trainer of other technical assistance providers as needed. **Qualifications;** A Bachelor's degree in Statistics or a related field with at least three years of experience in monitoring & evaluation. Experience in M&E capacity building for individuals and organizations required. Previous M&E experience in a donor funded program desired. Proficiency in evaluation design and development of indicators; designing and conducting small-scale operations research studies; and good working knowledge of descriptive and inferential statistics required.

The **Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Officer** will work closely with the Monitoring and Evaluation Director and is responsible for supporting M&E initiatives for the program. She/ He will develop in coordination with the Director the project's M&E plan and systems. She / He will submit data for Client portfolio review. The M&E Officer will also oversee special studies and be responsible for project and study reports. S/he will provide direct assistance to build clients' capabilities in M&E and act as a trainer of other technical assistance providers as needed. This is a field based position whose position will be determined. **Qualifications;** A Bachelor's degree in Statistics or a related field with at least eight years of experience in monitoring & evaluation. Experience in M&E capacity building for individuals and organizations required. Previous M&E experience on a donor funded program desired. Proficiency in evaluation design and development of indicators; designing and conducting small-scale operations research studies; and good working knowledge of descriptive and inferential statistics required. Previous supervisory experience required.

The **Education Assistant** will provide support to technical activities such as; materials development, classroom observation, organization of technical workshops, training of data collectors, coaches, and teachers. These include working with RTI technical staff to help implement instructional approaches to be used in the ECD project. The Education Assistant will also provide support for TAC tutors and instructional coaches working to implement revised lesson plans as well as assist with activities related to conducting research studies. The Education Assistant will assist the work of the ECD Specialists. **Qualifications;** Bachelor's degree in Education with at least three years of experience working in education sector; Experience with data collection and research studies, especially reading and math related; Experience supervising and training data collectors; Knowledge of Kiswahili and English instruction in Kenya.

The **Research Assistant** will provide support to technical activities such as materials development, organization of technical workshops and training of data collectors, coaches, and teachers. These include working with RTI technical staff to help implement instructional approaches to be used on the project. The Research Assistant will also provide support for TAC tutors and instructional coaches working to implement revised lesson plans as well as assist with activities related to conducting research studies. This is a field based position whose actual location will be determined. **Qualifications:** Bachelor's degree in Education with at least three years of experience working in education sector; Experience with data collection and research studies, especially reading and math related; Experience supervising and training data collectors; Knowledge of Kiswahili and English instruction in Kenya.

To Apply; please email cover letter and CV to hrrapplications@nb.rti.org by **August 22, 2014**. Applicants must include the POSITION TITLE in the subject line of their email. Please do not attach copies of certificates. We regret that only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.

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VACANCY

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT MANAGER

Finnlemm Development Company Limited (FDCL) is a dynamic company incorporated by members of Finnlemm Sacco Society Ltd to address their investment needs. The company aims to explore both existing and emerging business opportunities in Kenya and beyond for purposes of creating members' wealth through innovative and evidence-informed business approaches.

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1. Providing general oversight of all FDCL activities, managing the day-to-day operations, ensuring a smoothly functioning, efficient and profitable company.
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ENGAGEMENT PERIOD

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WATER SERVICES REGULATORY BOARD

VACANCIES (6) FOR PART-TIME INSPECTORS

The Water Services Regulatory Board (Wasreb) is a statutory body charged with economic and service regulation of the water services sector. Wasreb sets rules, standards and guidelines to ensure that water services are provided in an effective and efficient manner with a view to protecting consumer interests. Part of the responsibility of the Regulator is to license Water Services Boards (WSBs) and Water Service Providers (WSPs). The performance of these institutions is monitored periodically to ensure adherence to licence conditions.

The Regulator intends to strengthen its inspection function by partnering with qualified independent professionals, to be known as **Part-time Inspectors**, who will conduct inspections on issues identified. Successful professionals will be expected to discharge the following functions:

- Inspect and evaluate the water and effluent quality monitoring systems in line with the Water Quality and Effluent Monitoring Guideline and report on corrective measures.
- Evaluate Water Service Providers internal governance arrangements as per the prevailing laws and governance standards and report on corrective measures.
- Inspect and evaluate water works and water services to ensure that such works and services meet the prescribed standards in design, construction, operation and maintenance and report on corrective measures
- Inspect and evaluate the billing systems, revenue collection systems and expenditures of the WSPs and WSBs in order to verify whether there is adherence to the approved tariff and licence conditions.
- Determine the alignment of the WSPs budgets to the approved tariff and adherence to approved tariff conditions.
- Determine the correlation between the revenues projected in the approved tariff and the actual revenues realised by the WSP
- Assess the monthly billings and payments to Regulatory levy, Electricity (KPLC), Water abstraction (WARMA), licence remuneration *vis a vis* provisions in the approved tariff and determine the variance
- Determine presence and condition of production meters to establish the basis of Non-Revenue Water (NRW) Computation
- Establish whether WSPs have mechanisms of handling consumer complaints and monitor the performance of WSPs in resolving the complaints
- Inspect and evaluate the financial systems of WSPs and WSBs to establish whether all justified remittances are made and report on corrective actions
- Inspect and evaluate the human resources systems based on the prevailing sector benchmarks and report on corrective actions. Assess the performance of WSPs in adherence to Human resources standards
- Verify the correctness / credibility of WSP performance data submitted to Wasreb
- Any other issue that may arise in the course of the inspection works.

Part-time Inspectors will be trained in Wasreb and given checklists and guidelines to be able to effectively discharge their functions.

Applications are sought from individuals meeting the following criteria:

- Be a Kenyan with at least 4 years post qualification working experience in a relevant profession.
- Have Knowledge on the water sector
- Have a degree in Civil Engineering, Construction Management, Water Quality, Law, Finance, Business management, Economics, Law, or other relevant disciplines.
- Have a professional certificate from the relevant professional body that authorizes one to be a practitioner in that field
- Possess analytical skills backed by evidence of carrying out similar works and have good knowledge in their field of expertise
- Be computer literate
- Experience in writing reports and ability to communicate and interact professionally
- Be willing to undertake assignments in any part of the country
- Experience in monitoring and evaluation or auditing shall be an added advantage.

Successful applicants will serve for an initial period of six months, with a possibility for extension.

Wasreb is an equal opportunity employer and all qualified professionals are encouraged to apply to the address below by **29th August 2014**. Write to:

**The Chief Executive Officer
Water Services Regulatory Board
NHIF Building, 5th Floor, Ngong Road
P.O BOX 41621-00100
Nairobi, Kenya.**

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The Company

Dudutech is part of the Finlays Horticulture Investments Limited group, whose value added horticulture and vegetable products supply markets in the United Kingdom and Europe. Dudutech is an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) business which produces supplies and offers technical support for an extensive range of its own biological control agent(s) to the Agriculture Sector in Kenya.

We have the following opportunities to join our Dudutech Division in Naivasha Region

TECHNICAL SALES OFFICER – TEA AND COFFEE

Key Responsibilities

- Service existing accounts, obtain orders, and establish new accounts by planning and organizing daily work schedule to call on existing or potential clients
- Proactive involvement in crop trials with growers in tea and coffee crop sector to deliver economic progress
- Provide technical guidelines on Dudutech products and technical advisory services on crop protection strategies to tea and coffee market segment
- Maintains professional and technical knowledge by attending educational workshops; reviewing professional publications; establishing personal networks; participating in professional societies
- Contribute to team effort by accomplishing related task to deliver required results
- Any other duties assigned by Manager – Commercial & Technical Sales

Desired Qualifications

- A science degree with a major field of study in Agriculture or Horticulture from a recognized University
- Must possess 5 years experience in tea and coffee crop sector
- Ability to determine solutions for customers (consultative sales approach)
- Must be results-orientated and able to work both independently and within a team environment
- Must possess excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Must be proficient in using computers
- A person of high integrity and team player
- Must possess a valid driver's license

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Key Responsibilities

- Undertake assigned product development trials for adoption in liaison with department head
- Supervise the planting and/or maintenance of assigned research plants in R&D Greenhouse/tunnels/farms and demo plots
- Collect and collate data generated from assigned research trials using acceptable statistical software
- Plan and execute experimental protocol and field layout in accordance with acceptable scientific format in liaison with department head
- Proper and timely assessment of health, safety and environment within work space
- Supervise proper usage and storage of equipments in the department
- Ensure integrity and quality of research assignment
- Any other duties assigned by Research and Development Manager

Desired Qualifications

- BSc/MSc. Degree in Crop Protection/Plant pathology/ Entomology or closely related field from a recognized University
- Minimum of 5 years relevant experience with a background in commercial crop protection
- Proven technical knowledge in crop protection research methods
- In depth understand of horticultural crop diseases and pests
- Proficiency in statistical data analysis, interpretation and report writing
- Hands on experience in handling biocontrol agents in crop protection research
- A person of high integrity and team player
- Good communication / presentation and interpersonal skills

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

To apply for these positions, register your curriculum vitae, log in and apply using the following link, www.myafricanjobs.com/finlays not later than **25th August 2014**.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

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AFRICAN AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY FOUNDATION
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VACANCIES FOR THE POSITION OF PROGRAMME ASSISTANT

The African Agricultural Technology Foundation (AATF) is an international not-for-profit organisation that facilitates, and promotes public/private partnerships to access, develop, adapt and deliver appropriate agricultural technologies for sustainable use by smallholder farmers in Sub-Saharan Africa. (See our website www.aatf-africa.org).

BACKGROUND:

AATF wishes to recruit two Programme Assistants for its Technical Operations and Projects Deployment Unit. These positions will report to the Director – Technical Operations and the Senior Manager – Projects Deployment, respectively.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Support program operations, administrative duties, including office and field work, and monitoring activities to ensure timely delivery of milestones.
- Assist in prioritizing project activities in the annual work plan
- Assist in formulation and implementation of detailed project work plans, including clearly defined milestones and timelines.
- Facilitate collection and analysis of project information and data as per the assigned work plan as well as generating quality project reports
- Prepare and submit quality technical reports when required, clearly detailing the program status in appropriate format.
- Assist with preparation of manuscripts for publications, power point presentations and undertake literature search for articles and presentations
- Provide logistical support essential for scheduling and conduct of program meetings

(For detailed job description refer on the AATF website)

QUALIFICATIONS:

Suitable candidates must have a minimum of Bachelor's degree in Agricultural or related sciences from a recognized university. Holders of a Master's degree in Agricultural or related sciences will have added advantage. Two years' experience in implementation of projects in the agricultural sector, experience in field work, data collection, analysis and report writing is essential. The candidate must be highly proficient in the use of computer and relevant softwares used in research and development. She/he should have great capacity to learn and capable of working under pressure.

COMPENSATION AND TENURE:

AATF offers a competitive salary and benefits package, and a collegial and gender-sensitive working environment. The employment contract is for an initial period of 2 years, renewable subject to performance and availability of funding.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Qualified candidates are invited to submit their applications together with a detailed Curriculum Vitae (CV) to the Human Resource Head aatf-hr@aatf-africa.org on or before **20th August 2014**. Your CV should include details of your qualifications, experience, current position, telephone contact, email address, names and addresses of three referees.

AATF is an equal opportunity employer.



COMPETITION AUTHORITY OF KENYA

Our Client, The Competition Authority of Kenya (C.A.K), wishes to recruit and fill the following positions: -

Manager Policy and Research

JOB REF: MN 6043

The successful candidate, will be reporting to the Director, Policy, Research and Advocacy.

JOB PROFILE

1. Research and Policy Development

- Provide technical and strategic leadership in the design, implementation and evaluation of research programmes to advance knowledge of competition matters.
 - Coordinate the design, development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of information education and communication (IEC) strategies designed to inform stakeholders and the general public about competition.
 - Execute research projects involving acceptable research methods and focused on different sectors performance, trends, existing or new competition requirements and their impact on operations of the various sectors.
 - Oversee the rigorous economic research conducted in specific sectors supporting recommendations for initiation, where appropriate.
 - Oversee the rigorous economic research conducted in specific topics related to key competition concerns.
 - Assist in conducting economic analysis in enforcement and merger cases and review outcomes following a merger or complaint decision;
 - Provide adequate findings to influence the policy and legislative processes through drawing on research and literature to craft well informed positions.
 - Participate in creating internal and external awareness and understanding of economic principles and to present the authority's point of view on competition matters.
 - Coordinate the development of research proposals and undertake research surveys and studies involving identifying key insurance issues, conducting in-depth research, analyzing and developing research reports and papers.
 - Examine and analyze policy statements on competition trends and developments from regional and international perspective.
- 2. Database Management**
- Assess trends, measure outcomes and maintain a data bank of key developments in the various industry in the context of CAK priorities areas.
 - Develop and implement policies and strategies to ensure effective maintainance of a

- well-stocked and continually updated library and information.
 - Develop and implement effective methodologies and strategies for ensuring the integrity of research data, information and reports.
 - Creation of databases aimed at expanding the knowledge-base of the various industries on competition matters.
 - Prepare and disseminate analytical reports liaison with communication's department on topical research interest areas to promote exchange and learning in competition matters.
- 3. Department Management**
- Develop work plans and budgets for the Department for approval
 - Oversee the execution of the approved departmental work plans and budgets
 - Oversee performance management in the department.
 - Prepare and submit all monthly, quarterly and annual reports for the department.
 - Prepare a draft board management papers for approval.
 - Identify training needs for the departments.
 - Oversee the development, documentation and implementation of procedures and processes in compliance with ISO 9001:2008.

PERSON PROFILE

- A Masters degree in social studies or a business related field with specialization in economics, statistics or development studies.
- Bachelors degree in social sciences or business related field
- Research based, statistics, modelling, data analysis professional qualifications
- Specialist knowledge in using at least one statistical package and proficiency in ICT
- At least 12 years' experience in research gained from reputable organizations, with at least 3 years in a management position.
- Diverse experience in project management, development of research tools, monitoring and evaluation, report writing and dissemination of information and experience in managing and leading diverse teams of professionals.
- Ability to interpret long term plans, programs and budgets developed at senior management level.
- Project management skills and ability to develop plans, SOPS, and coordination of workflows.

Head, Enforcement and Compliance

JOB REF: MN 6044

The successful candidate, will be reporting to the Director - Competition and Consumer Protection.

JOB PROFILE

1. Cartels and Exemptions Investigations

- Oversee investigation into restrictive trade practices (agreements / concerted practices and abuse of dominance) Oversee performance management in the department.
 - Follow up on the implementation of decision made in liaison with the legal department
 - Prepare and submit all monthly, quarterly and annual reports for the department.
 - Oversee evaluation of applications for exemptions.
 - Lead the implementation of strategic plan as appropriate
 - Supervise the seconded police/CID officers.
 - Ensure maintainance of the customer compliments, complaints and enquiries register.
- 2. Policy Development and Stakeholders Management**
- Liase with the Research Policy and Advocacy Division in carrying out economic analysis of RTPs and conducting specific market inquiries.
 - Formulate guidelines on restrictive trade practices (agreements, abuse of dominance and exemption applications)
 - Liase with the Legal department to develop relevant regulations and escalate them as appropriately.
 - Convene RTP cases hearing conference where necessary.
 - Convene settlement agreement hearing and participate in Awareness creation.

- Offer advisory services to stakeholders on restrictive trade practices.
- 3. Department Management**
- Develop work plans and budgets for the Department for approval
 - Oversee the execution of the approved departmental work plans and budgets
 - Oversee performance management in the department.
 - Prepare and submit all monthly, quarterly and annual reports for the department.
 - Prepare a draft board management papers for approval.
 - Identify training needs for the departments.
 - Oversee the development, documentation and implementation of procedures and processes in compliance with ISO 9001:2008.

PERSON PROFILE

- A Masters degree in Economics/Business/Law
- Bachelors degree in Economics/Business/Law or business related field
- Specialist knowledge in competition policy/Law and proficiency in ICT
- At least 12 years' experience in enforcement, competition policy and law gained from reputable organizations, with at least 3 years in a management position.
- Diverse experience in conducting investigations and experience in managing and leading diverse teams of professionals.
- Ability to interpret long term plans, programs and budgets developed at senior management level.
- Project management skills and ability to develop plans, SOPS, and coordination of workflows.
- Strategic Management Skills.

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Send your application, CV and summarize yourself as follows:-

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All application letters with detailed CVs, copies of certificates and testimonials to be addressed to:

The Managing Director
Chai Trading Company Ltd
P.O. Box 93324-80102
Mombasa
Email address: info@chaitrading.com

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JOB OPPORTUNITY - FIELD OFFICERS

Cereal Growers Association (CGA) is a national member-based farmer organization incorporated in August 1996, to bring cereal farmers together in addressing industry challenges in Kenya. CGA works with industry stakeholders such as agricultural input suppliers, financial service providers, output buyers, development partners, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and others to provide services to its members.

Through a partnership with the Kenya Agricultural Value Chain Enterprises (KAVES), a five-year activity funded by the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), CGA is seeking to recruit **Field Officers** to help in developing the **maize value chain** in Uasin Gishu, Trans Nzoia, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nandi, Bomet, Bungoma, Kakamega, Kericho, Migori, Meru, and Makueni counties and the **sorghum value chain** in Machakos, Kitui and Tharaka Nithi Counties. The goal of the activity is to increase the productivity and incomes of maize and sorghum smallholder farmers through new strategic partnerships with different stakeholders along the value chain.

Reporting to the Project Manager, the role of the **Field Officers** will be to lead in the execution of all project field activities including:-

- Training farmers on proper agronomic practices, post-harvest handling, storage management, and EAC grain standards;
- Spearhead the identification, establishment, and branding of aggregation centres in the respective county;
- Link smallholder farmers to identified grassroots aggregation centers and monitor their operations;
- Establish market linkages for both inputs and maize/sorghum output;
- Coordinate the establishment of crop demonstration plots and organization of farmer field days and business/market linkage meetings;
- Monitor the performance of CGA contracted grassroots organizations;
- Represent CGA in county level agricultural meetings;

Desired Qualifications, Experience and Skills

- Bachelor's degree in an Agriculture related field;
- At least two (2) years relevant working experience;
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills;
- Ability to work with minimum supervision;
- Experience working with smallholder farmers;
- Proficiency in MS Office Suite tools;
- Possess a valid motor cycle riding license with at least one year riding experience.

If your background, experience and passion match the above description, please send an application letter and updated CV to recruitment@cga.co.ke by **August 25, 2014**. The subject line should be: **Field Officers** indicating the preferred County.

Only shortlisted applicants will be invited for interviews. Late applications will not be considered.

KENYA RAILWAYS CORPORATION

EXCELLENT CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

CORPORATE AFFAIRS MANAGER

The main responsibility of the Corporate Affairs Manager includes designing, coordinating and implementing the organization's communications strategy with a view to creating a positive understanding of key actions/decisions/ events by all the stakeholders.

Primary Responsibilities

- Developing and implementing appropriate communications and public relations strategies;
- Planning and conducting programmes designed to create and maintain a positive image of the Corporation to the external publics;
- Planning and directing communication strategies designed to keep internal publics informed of the Corporation's programmes and policies;
- Producing appropriate communication and dissemination of the same through presentations, press releases, speeches, position papers with reference to the corporate Mission and Vision;
- Establishing and maintaining regular contact with media practitioners with a view to enhancing goodwill and positive coverage for the Corporation;
- Implementation of Corporate Social Responsibility programmes;
- Planning and executing the Corporation's participation in key corporate events, including conferences, anniversaries, customer forums, agricultural shows, receptions and media events;
- Availing information for updating the website; and
- Initiating and coordinating the production of In-house publications.

Person Specifications

- Bachelors degree in Social Sciences or business related field
- Post graduate training in Mass Communication
- Professional Membership to PRSK
- 7 years experience, 3 of which must be in a similar position
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Team player and strong leadership skills

TERMS OF OFFER

An attractive remuneration package commensurate with qualifications and responsibilities of the position will be negotiated with the right candidate.

The application form and this advert are available on the Kenya Railways Website: www.krc.co.ke.

Interested and qualified candidates **MUST complete the Kenya Railways Application Form (Rev), attach their copies of testimonials, certificates and National ID card** and address their applications to the:


Managing Director
Kenya Railways Corporation
P.O. Box 30121, 00100,
Nairobi

to be received by **Friday 29th August 2014**

Note: Only short listed candidates will be contacted.
Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

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Executive Director

Act Change Transform (Act!) is one of the largest Kenyan non-governmental organisations working in the field of Capacity Development and Grants Management. Established in September 2001 as Pact Kenya and rebranded in 2011 as a fully-fledged indigenous non-profit organisation, Act! together with its implementing partners has contributed to the country's results in peace building and conflict transformation, democracy and human rights, livelihoods and environment and natural resource management. Act! is seeking to recruit a high calibre, results oriented, experienced and highly skilled professional for the position of Executive Director.

The role

Reporting to the Chairman of the Board of Directors, the Executive Director will be responsible for the realization of Act!'s Vision, Mission and Strategic Objectives. He/she will be accountable to the Board for overall corporate performance including programme management, resource mobilisation, financial management, people management, monitoring and evaluation, learning, overall organisational efficiency and institutional effectiveness.

The person

The ideal candidate will possess a Master's degree in Social Sciences, Development Studies, Business Administration, or any other relevant field and post-graduate qualifications in Project Management and/ or Financial Management. The candidate should also possess at least fifteen (15) years' working experience in development-related fields with at least five (5) years' proven track record in leading and managing a development organisation and/or development programmes.

The offer

If your career aspirations match this exciting opportunity, please write in confidence quoting the position title and reference number on the subject of the email or cover letter on or before Friday 29th August 2014. A detailed job profile can be accessed at www.kpmg.com/eastafrica or www.act.or.ke. Applications including your curriculum vitae, a working e-mail address, daytime telephone contacts, qualifications, experience, present position, current remuneration, names and addresses of three referees should be emailed to esdact@kpmg.co.ke.

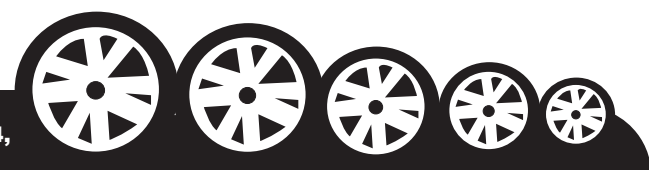
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NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT

Chancery Building, Valley Road, P. O. Box 48994-00100, NAIROBI,
Telephone: 254-20-2711711/2711600/1, E-mail: Info@ncpd-ke.org Website: www.ncpd-ke.org

VACANCIES

The National Council for Population and Development is a Semi-Autonomous Government Agency in the Ministry of Devolution and Planning. The Council seeks to fill the following vacant post:

ADVERT NO.004/2014: SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICER NCPD 5 (1 POST)

Reporting to the Deputy Director Human Resource and Administration.

Key Duties and Responsibilities:

- Oversee handling of incoming and outgoing communication — telephone calls, documents, etc.
- Allocate office space, maintain and repair offices, and keep offices clean and maintain conducive working environment.
- Procure insurance for motor vehicles and review the same upon expiry.
- Co-ordinate security matters in NCPD offices, liaising with other security agents.
- Dispose all boarded stores and equipment as per Government regulations.
- Ensure that internal/external complaints are addressed and reported quarterly and train staff on complaint handling.
- Ensure implementation of service delivery in accordance with service delivery charter.
- Maintenance of furniture and equipment in the council.
- Logistics and fleet management.
- Coordinate office's lease agreement, car parking space, electricity and water and rent quarterly payments.

Requirements for Appointment:-

For appointment to this grade, a candidate must have:-

- Served in the grade of Administrative Officer or in an equivalent position for at least four (4) years
- A Bachelors degree in Commerce, Business Management/Public Administration or Finance, Economics, Business or any other equivalent and relevant qualifications from a recognized institution
- Computer application skills ; and
- Shown merit and ability as reflected in work performance and results.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Applicants who meet the above qualifications should send their applications including copies of academic and professional certificates, testimonials, a copy of identity card, detailed CV indicating work experience, three (3) names of references, current position/grade, current remuneration, expected salary and daytime telephone numbers to:

The Director General
National Council for Population and Development
P. O. Box 48994-00100
NAIROBI
OR

OUR ONLINE JOB PORTAL
THROUGH OUR E-RECRUITMENT SYSTEM ACCESSIBLE THROUGH
URL:<http://www.ncpd-ke.org/jobs/>

Applications to reach the Council on or before **Friday, 22nd August, 2014.**

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted and canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

VACANCY

INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL ENGINEER

A well-established company operating one of the most efficient thermal power plant in Kenya located in the coastal region is seeking to recruit an experienced Instrumentation and Control (I&C) Engineer in the Maintenance department. The incumbent will report to the Chief Electrical Engineer and will work in a team in electrical section to maintain the power plant in a safe, efficient, effective and economical manner.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Carry out maintenance and service on all plant Instruments and control systems.
- Carry out minor and major overhauls on critical plant instruments and control systems.
- Analysing data and sharing findings with other departments aiming to improve plant performance
- Manage plant computerised maintenance system database and support office IT network.
- Responsible for carrying out periodic DCS, PLCs and office IT backups.
- Implement plant improvement projects without endangering any person's safety and health.
- Generate technical reports regarding plant improvements or failure modes and share experiences
- Support electrical team during troubleshooting or major overhauls or projects.
- Available for on-call duties when required and described by management.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Bsc.in Electrical or Instrumentation and Control engineering or Diploma in Instrumentation and control
- 4 years hands-on experience in power plant maintenance and operation.
- Hands-on experience in ABB PLC control system, Siemens PLCs – S7 series.
- Knowledge of various instrumentation and control calibration techniques and standards.
- Ability to interpret P&I diagrams and process concepts including interlocks.
- Hands-on experience on ABB advanced process control (APC), distributed control systems (DCS), programmable logic controllers (PLC), and supervisory control and data acquisition (SCADA).
- Competent in industrial IT communication protocol and networking.
- Computer literate and able to communicate effectively.

Interested candidates who meet the above criteria and would wish to be part of the team should email their applications and detailed CVs to applications.recruit@gmail.com on or before **29th August 2014.**



SNV Netherlands Development Organisation seeks to fill the following position:

Executive Secretary

SNV is a not-for-profit international development organisation. Founded in the Netherlands 50 years ago, we have built a long-term, local presence in 39 of the poorest countries in Asia, Africa and Latin America. Our global team of local and international advisors works with local partners to equip communities, businesses and organisations with the tools, knowledge and connections they need to increase their incomes and gain access to basic services – empowering them to break the cycle of poverty and guide their own development.

Overview of the Position

As Executive Secretary you are responsible for administrative and logistical support to the Managing Director (MD) for Agriculture. You will understand the context and environment in which the MD operates, in order to create optimal conditions for the MD to execute his/her tasks.

This position reports to the MD for Agriculture and works closely with the Global Sector Coordinator (GSC) - Agriculture, senior managers within the Agriculture team and Executive Secretaries of other sectors.

Key Responsibilities

- Manage day to day operational and administrative activities for the MD's office by organising flow of work, maintaining the MD's diary, correspondence and follow up to ensure timeliness of response;
- Organize and gather relevant documentation of the management cycle (Country Business Plans, Management Agreements, Midyear Reviews, Annual Reports etc.) from countries in East and Southern Africa cluster; check on completeness, analyse and flag any deviations from the planning;
- Manage complex calendar and logistics arrangements for the MD and GSC - Agriculture, sector meeting scheduling and manage appropriate (confidential) correspondence in a timely manner;
- Compile and analyse sector management information for the Agriculture team;
- On request of the MD, collect, analyse and interpret information (desk research) for the sector team and monitor country operations;
- Draft agendas, meetings notes, emails and other communication on behalf of the MD and GSC and file accordingly;
- Deal with queries, prepare documentation for meetings, workshops and events;
- Coordinate all travels arrangements for MD and GSC - Agriculture;
- Participate in internal projects and undertake special assignments as assigned.

Requirements

- Bachelor degree in Secretarial Studies, Management, Business Administration or relevant other study;
- A least five (5) years' proven experience in providing administrative and personal assistant services to senior level staff in an international environment;
- A good understanding of the environment SNV operates;
- Strong organisational skills, proactive, independent work approach and a high attention to detail and accuracy;
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills and proven interpersonal and customer service skills;
- Strong analytical skills and experience in performing desk researches;
- Demonstrate high level of ethics, professionalism and confidentiality at all time;
- Proficiency in using Microsoft Office suite.

Languages: Proficient in English, working knowledge of French is an advantage

Duty Station: Nairobi

Contract Type: National

Contract Duration: 1 year with the possibility to renew

Salary Scale: SNV offers a competitive compensation package

Desired Start Date: 1 October, 2014

How to Apply

If you believe that your credentials meet the outlined profile, we invite you to apply by uploading your CV and letter of motivation onto our in-house recruitment system via the following link: <https://snv.devhire.devex.com/jobs/329859> by **31 August, 2014.**

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted



ELIZABETH GLASER
PEDIATRIC AIDS
FOUNDATION

VACANCIES

The Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation is a global leader in the fight against pediatric HIV and AIDS, working in 15 countries and at over 5,500 sites around the world to prevent the transmission of HIV to children, and to help those already infected. Today, because of the highly successful work of the Foundation and its partners, pediatric AIDS has been virtually eliminated in the United States. With a growing global staff of over 1,000—nine of 10 who work in the field—the Foundation's global mission is to implement HIV prevention, care, and treatment programs; further advance innovative research; and to execute strategic and targeted global advocacy activities to bring dramatic change to the lives of millions of women, children, and families worldwide.

EGPAF in Kenya is currently looking to recruit for the following 2 positions for a forthcoming health service delivery program in 1-2 regions in Kenya:

- **Chief of Party**
- **Deputy Chief Of Party**

To apply

For the full details of the jobs and submission of application please visit:

a) Chief of party

<http://ch.tb.e.taleo.net/CH03/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?org=PEDAIDS&cws=1&rid=787>

b) Deputy Chief of Party

<http://ch.tb.e.taleo.net/CH03/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?org=PEDAIDS&cws=1&rid=788>

The closing date is **29th August 2014**

Only short listed candidates will be contacted

VACANCY FOR FINANCE MANAGER.

A fast growing SACCO with 6 Branches and several outlets is seeking to employ a Finance Manager. Suitable candidates must meet the following qualifications:-

- Minimum Job Specifications**
- i. Bachelors’ degree in a Business Related Field (preferably BCOM) from a recognized institution
 - ii. CPA (K) or equivalent
 - iii. 4 years’ experience in a similar or comparable position
 - iv. Age 30-38 Years

Key Competencies, Skills/Attributes
Must have accounting/finance, strategic management, leadership, marketing, managerial, conceptual, analytical, Planning, negotiation, and communication skills
Must be proficient in Ms. Office applications
Must have ability to operate and interpret the Financial Management Applications used in the SACCO and maintain high integrity standards

Applications, with detailed C.V, copies of academics & Professional Certificates, and testimonials to be send to the address shown below so as to be received not later than 30/08/2014.

Salary will be negotiable depending on qualification and experience.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
P. O. BOX 2119-90100
MACHAKOS
or
info@universaltraders.co.ke

NB: Only the shortlisted candidates will be contacted.



VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Pan Africa Christian University, a Chartered Private University, is seeking to fill the positions outlined below from suitable candidates. Applicants must be born again and active members of a local Church.

JOB TITLE: DEPUTY VICE CHANCELLOR – ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

The DVC Academic shall be responsible for the academic affairs of the University and assist the Vice Chancellor in the administration of the University, direct oversight of the Faculty, curricula and quality of programs.

- Key Responsibilities**
- Provide leadership, direction and supervision to students, Faculty and Staff;
 - Promote a learning environment that is supportive of the University mission and vision through student-centered service.
 - Facilitate the development, review, and revision of academic curricula, ensuring quality and relevance as well as seeking approval from the CUE for new programs and courses;
 - Oversee the work of Faculty by giving leadership in the institution and delivery of the curriculum and ensuring compliance with accreditation standards.

- Minimum Requirements**
- Education – earned Doctor of Philosophy Degree;
 - A minimum of 4 years experience in academic affairs at least at the Departmental Head level;
 - Strong leadership skills that promote dedication, growth and academic excellence;
 - Excellent ability to build strong working relationships throughout the University community;
 - Understand and adhere to the PAC University Statement of Faith.

JOB TITLE: ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR / SENIOR LECTURER, BIBLE & THEOLOGY

These positions aim to provide leadership and institute necessary growth in the Bible and Theology Department and in other University level initiatives. An Applicant must have a strong Theological background and possess an earned PhD in Biblical Studies or Theology or equivalent.

- Minimum Requirements for Associate Professor**
- Have at least four (4) years teaching experience as a Senior Lecturer in relevant area.
 - Have successfully supervised at least four (4) Masters Students or two (2) PhD students since being appointed Senior Lecturer.
 - Show evidence of continuing research and publications.
 - Mature evangelical Christian who subscribes to the PAC University’s Statement of Faith.

- Minimum Requirements for Senior Lecturer**
- Have at least four (4) years teaching experience as a Lecturer in the relevant area.
 - Show evidence of continuing research and publications.
 - Mature evangelical Christian who subscribes to the PAC University’s Statement of Faith.

Visit our website www.pacuniversity.ac.ke for full profile of these positions.

If you believe you are the right candidate for any of the above positions, kindly send your application letter and detailed Curriculum Vitae to **The Director of Finance & Administration, Pan Africa Christian University, P.O. Box 56875-00200 NAIROBI** or email to jobs@pacuniversity.ac.ke not later than Friday, 22nd August 2014. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

REPUBLIC OF KENYA
IN THE CHIEF MAGISTRATE’S COURT AT THIKA
CIVIL SUIT NO. 110 OF 2010

MARY WANJU KIMEMIA..... PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
KIMANGARIA KIMEMIA..... DEFENDANT
-AND-
MUANGE ISAAC 1ST THIRD PARTY
FRANCIS NJENGA RUO 2ND THIRD PARTY

TO:
1. MUANGE ISAAC C/O WELLRUN AUTO SPARES & ACCESSORIES LTD
P. O. BOX 23427-00100, NAIROBI.

2. FRANCIS NJENGA RUO, P. O. BOX 8632-00200, NAIROBI

SUBSTITUTED SERVICE BY ADVERTISEMENT
Under Order 5 Rule 17(2), (3) and (4)

TAKE NOTICE that the above suit has been filed in the Resident Magistrate’s Court at Thika in Civil Case No. 110 of 2010 by the Plaintiff against the Defendant and the Defendant has engaged you as the 1st and 2nd Third Parties Respectively. Service upon you has been ordered by means of advertisement. A copy of the Third Party Notices, Plaint and Defence can be obtained from the Resident Magistrate’s Court at Thika or the Defendant’s Advocates’ offices.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that unless you appear within the next fifteen (15) days from the date of the notice hereof this suit may proceed and judgment may be given in your absence.

DATED AT NAIROBI THIS 15th DAY OF July 2014

Kairu & McCourt Advocates
ADVOCATES FOR THE DEFENDANT/APPLICANT

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Website: www.nita.go.ke

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Commercial Street Industrial Area
NAIROBI, KENYA

TENDER NOTICE

TENDER / PRE-QUALIFICATION OF SUPPLY OF GOODS, WORKS AND SERVICES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 30TH JUNE 2016.

The National Industrial Training Authority (NITA) is a State Corporation established under the Industrial Training (Amendment) Act of 2011. The mandate of the Authority is to promote the highest standards in the quality and efficiency of industrial training in Kenya and ensure adequate supply of properly trained manpower at all levels in industry.

The Authority hereby invites applications for the pre-qualification of suppliers for provision of goods and services for the period ending 30th June 2016. Interested eligible suppliers are invited to apply indicating the code and sub-category of goods or services they wish to supply.

TENDER REF: TENDER NO. NITA/001/2014-2015

A) SUPPLY OF GOODS FOR THE PERIOD ENDING 30TH JUNE, 2016.

CODE. NO.	Description of goods and services	ELIGIBILITY	REMARKS
NITA/G/1/2014	Supply and delivery of General office stationeries.	OPEN	
NITA/G/2/2014	Supply and delivery of telephone calling cards.	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/3/2014	Supply and delivery of tyres, tubes and motor vehicle batteries	OPEN	
NITA/G/4/2014	Supply and delivery of dry food stuff –grains and cereals	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/5/2014	Supply and delivery of fresh foods- fruits and vegetables	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/6/2014	Supply and delivery of meat, chicken, milk, bread and eggs	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/7/2014	Supply ,delivery and repair of office furniture, fittings	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/8/2014	Supply and delivery of training materials (textile,hardware,electrical,plumbing,building,mechanical,automotive)	OPEN	
NITA/G/9/2014	Supply and delivery of cleaning materials, detergents and disinfectant	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/10/2014	Supply and delivery of Newspapers	OPEN	
NITA/G/11/2014	Supply and delivery of office equipment including computers, photocopiers, binding equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/12/2014	Supply of fuels, oil ,lubricants and liquefied gas	OPEN	
NITA/G/13/2014	Supply and delivery of staff uniforms ,footwear and linen	YOUTH, WOMEN,PWD	
NITA/G/14/2014	Supply and delivery of training equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/15/2014	Supply and delivery of bottled fresh water including dispensers, bottles and Refilling.	YOUTH, WOMEN, PWD	
NITA/G/16/2014	Supply and delivery of crockery	YOUTH, WOMEN, PWD	
NITA/G/17/2014	Supply and delivery of firewood and charcoal	YOUTH, WOMEN, PWD	
NITA/G/18/2014	Supply and delivery of kitchen equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/19/2014	Supply and delivery of text books	OPEN	
NITA/G/20/2014	Supply and delivery of sports accessories and equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/21/2014	Supply and delivery of specialized plants and equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/22/2014	Supply, delivery and servicing of firefighting equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/23/2014	Supply and delivery of ICT equipment	OPEN	
NITA/G/24/2014	Supply and delivery of software and licenses	OPEN	
NITA/G/25/2014	Supply, and delivery of laboratory Chemicals ,re-agents dyes and equipment	OPEN	

B) PROVISION OF SERVICES / WORKS FOR THE PERIOD ENDING 30TH JUNE, 2016.

CODE. NO.	SUB-CATEGORY	ELIGIBILITY	REMARKS
GROUP B.			
NITA/S/1/2014	Provision of internet services	OPEN	
NITA/S/2/2014	Provision of security services	OPEN	
NITA/S/3/2014	Provision of cleaning, waste collection, sanitary bin collection, fumigation and pest control services	OPEN	
NITA/S/4/2014	Provision of works, refurbishment and maintenance of buildings and civil works	OPEN	
NITA/S/5/2014	Provision of maintenance services to computers, printers, laptops.	OPEN	
NITA/S/6/2014	Provision of maintenance of Typewriters, photocopying machines, fax, franking, PABX telecommunication equipment and offset printing machines.	OPEN	
NITA/S/7/2014	Provision of parts, repair and service of motor vehicles(C.M.T.E approved garages and dealers)	OPEN	
NITA/S/8/2014	Provision for maintenance of boreholes, repair and service of water pumps and generators.	OPEN	
NITA/S/9/2014	Provision of air tickets (IATA/KATA) registered Members	OPEN	
NITA/S/10/2014	Provision for maintenance and servicing of training equipment(Textile, Mechanical, Automotive, Electrical and Carpentry)	OPEN	
NITA/S/11/2014	Provision of fresh cut flowers	OPEN	
NITA/S/12/2014	Provision of office catering services	OPEN	
NITA/S/13/2014	Provision for tagging of Asset/equipment	OPEN	
NITA/S/14/2014	Provision of insurance services(group medical cover , motor vehicle &asset insurance)	OPEN	
NITA/S/15/2014	Provision of Consultancy services	OPEN	
NITA/S/16/2014	Provision of hotel, hospitality and conference facilities	OPEN	
NITA/S/17/2014	Provision of tents, chairs, tables, decoration and drapery	OPEN	
NITA/S/18/2014	Provision of design and printing of calendars ,diaries, Charismas cards, brochures, magazines, booklets, annual reports, promotional and branded materials	OPEN	
NITA/S/19/2014	Provision of courier services	OPEN	
NITA/S/20/2014	Provision of Legal services	OPEN	
NITA/S/21/2014	Provision of architectural services	OPEN	
NITA/S/22/2014	Provision of civil engineering services	OPEN	
NITA/S/23/2014	Provision of evaluation services	OPEN	
NITA/S/24/2014	Provision of landscaping services	OPEN	
NITA/S/25/2014	Provision of server maintenance consultancy	OPEN	

TENDER FOR SUPPLY

Tender NITA /002/2014-2015 and NITA No. 003/2014-2015 for of Supply goods ‘as and when required’ basis for the period of one year.

NO	TENDER NUMBER	CONTRACT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	ELEGIBILITY
1.	NITA/02/2014-2015		Supply of stationaries	Registered firm
2.	NITA/03/2014-2015		Supply of Foodstuff	Registered firm

Interested applicants may obtain further information and inspect pre-qualification and Tender documents for foodstuff and stationaries from our website www.nita.go.ke or supply chain management office at National Industrial Training Authority Headquarters, Commercial Street, Industrial Area opposite KEMSA, Block B first floor or from any of its centers as indicated below,

(NITA Head office
Commercial Street, Industrial Area
Nairobi.
(Block B Room No.6);

(a) Principal,
Kisumu Industrial Training Centre (KITC)
(Off the Kisumu –Busia road near the Kisumu Airport)

(b) Principal,
Mombasa Industrial Training Centre (MITC)
(Situatd along Mombasa-Malindi road next to KRA training Institute),

Interested bidders should download prequalification and Tender documents from our website www.nita.go.ke at no cost and must submit completed documents enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked with the tender name and reference number and deposited in the Tender Box situated at NITA headquarters, commercial street, Industrial area opposite KEMSA, Block ‘B’ 1st floor so as to be received on or before August 28th, 2014 at 10.00am.

Youth, Women and persons living with disability who have been dully registered with the National Treasury (Directorate of procurement) are encouraged to apply.

Duly completed pre-qualification Tender documents including Tender no. NITA/002/2014-2015 and NITA no./003/2014-2015, marked tender number and category on the right hand side corner and bearing no indication of the tenderer addressed to:

Director General
National Industrial Training Authority
P. O. Box 74494-00200, Nairobi.

Or pre-qualification Tender documents including Tender document for supply to the regional offices may be deposited in the Tender box situated on first floor NITA headquarters Block B, so as to be received not later than 10:00am on Thursday 28th August 2014, bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders or their representative who choose to attend. Late tenders will be returned unopened.

PAUL K.KOSGEI
DIRECTOR GENERAL

REPUBLIC OF KENYA
IN THE HIGH COURT OF KENYA AT NAIROBI
MILIMANI LAW COURTS
JUDICIAL REVIEW DIVISION
JR MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 312 OF 2014
IN
THE MATTER OF: LAW REFORM ACT, ORDER 53 OF THE CIVIL PROCEDURE
RULES 2010
AND
IN THE MATTER OF ILLEGAL, IRREGULAR, ARBITRARY, mala fides AND ultra vires
EXERCISE OF POWERS BY THE COMMISSIONER OF CO-OPERATIVES
DEVELOPMENT
AND
IN THE MATTER OF ILLEGAL AND IRREGULAR ELECTIONS OF THE BOARD OF THE
APPLICANT
AND
IN THE MATTER OF KENYA PLANTERS CO-OPERATIVE UNION LIMITED (KPCU)
UNDER A RECEIVER AND MANAGER
AND
IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES ACT (CAP 486)
AND
IN THE MATTER OF THE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES ACT (CAP 490)
BETWEEN
KENYA PLANTERS CO-OPERATIVE UNION LIMITED APPLICANT
VERSUS
COMMISSIONER FOR CO-OPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT.....1ST RESPONDENT
CABINET SECRETARY MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIALIZATION
AND ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT2ND RESPONDENT
THE HON. ATTORNEY GENERAL 3RD RESPONDENT
IN OPEN COURT ON 14TH AUGUST 2014 BEFORE HON. LADY JUSTICE M. NGUGI
ORDER
UPON READING Amended Chamber Summons Application presented to this court on 13TH August
2013 by the Counsel for the Ex-Parte Applicant (Under Sections 8 and 9 of the Law Reform Act,
Cap 26, Section 3 and 3A of the Civil Procedure Act, Cap 21 and Order 53 Rule 1 and Rule 2 of the
Civil Procedure Rules, 2010 and all Enabling Provisions of the Law and Procedure) AND UPON
READING Supporting Affidavit of JOSEPH KIOKO sworn on 12TH August 2014 together with the
annexures therein AND UPON HEARING Counsel for the Applicant Ex-Parte AND WHEREAS this
matter coming up for Ruling on 14TH August 2014 before the Hon. Lady Justice M. Ngugi;
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:
1. THAT the application be and is hereby certified urgent and be admitted for hearing during the
vacation.
2. THAT the grant of leave do operate as a stay to:- restrain the convention or taking of any steps
towards the convention of a meeting of members, whether a Special General Meeting (SGM) or
an Annual General Meeting (AGM); endorsement of the purported Directors elect of the Applicant
herein the Kenya Planters' Co-operative Union Limited and to further restrain the said Directors
elect from assuming office or in any other way interfering with the management and operations
of the applicant herein pending inter partes hearing of the said application.
3. THAT the application and orders of the court to be served forthwith for inter partes hearing on 18TH
August 2014.
GIVEN under my hand and the seal of this Court this 14th day of August 2014.
ISSUED at Nairobi this 14 day of August 2014.
DEPUTY REGISTRAR
HIGH COURT OF KENYA NAIROBI

 **UNITED NATIONS
OFFICE AT NAIROBI**
The UN Headquarters in Africa

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)
PROCUREMENT NOTICE**

**PROVISION OF CLEANING, REFUSE COLLECTION,
SANITARY BINS COLLECTION AND PEST CONTROL
SERVICE**

**UNITED NATIONS OFFICE AT NAIROBI (UNON),
GIGIRI**

Ref. No.: EOI/UNON/14/039
Issue Date: 13/08/2014
Closing Date: 10/09/2014


The United Nations Office at Nairobi (UNON) seeks expression of interest for the captioned subject. The requirement for services will include the following;

Provision of cleaning services, refuse collection, sanitary bins services, pest control management.

Vendors interested in supplying the above services are invited to submit their Expression of Interest by visiting our website (<http://www.unon.org/content/expressions-interest>), and filling out and returning the Vendor Response Form by e-mail or via fax to the contact person indicated in the EOI form, not later than **10 September 2014**.

UNON subsequently intends to issue a Request for Proposal (RFP) to pre-qualified companies who in UNON's opinion are capable to provide the services in accordance with the requirements that will be fully specified in the solicitation document.

Information on tendering in the UN Procurement System is available free of charge at the following address. Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process must be registered with UNGM and may wish to visit www.ungm.org for full registration process.



ISLAMIC TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGE

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P.O.BOX 85450 – 80100 MOMBASA.
E – Mail: ittcmsa@africaonline.co.ke

SEPTEMBER 2014 PTE COLLEGE INTAKE

ISLAMIC TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGE ESTABLISHED IN 1994 AND REGISTERED WITH THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION HAS THE PLEASURE OF ADVERTISING THE 2014 P1 INTAKE.


- THE COLLEGE IS IN MOMBASA MAINLAND IN MIKINDANI ESTATE.
- COURSE REQUIREMENT IS C (PLAIN) AND ABOVE IN KCSE EXAMINATION.
- THE COLLEGE HAS TUTORS WITH VAST EXPERIENCES AND DEDICATED TO DUTY AND HAS MODERN FACILITIES WITH ADEQUATE TRANSPORT.
- WE WERE RANKED NUMBER ELEVEN (11) NATIONALLY AND NUMBER ONE (1) IN THE COAST REGION. IN BOTH 2012 AND 2013 CONSECUTIVE PTE EXAMINATIONS RESULTS.
- REGISTRATION IS ONGOING AND OPEN FOR MUSLIMS AND NON-MUSLIMS.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE PRINCIPAL THROUGH THE ABOVE GIVEN CONTACT ADDRESSES.

PRINCIPAL/SECRETARY, B.O.M

NOTICE

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF
INTEREST FOR CONSULTANCY
SERVICES FOR TULINDE TUSOME
PROJECT**


PLAN INTERNATIONAL INC.,
KENYA OFFICE

Plan International is a non-religious, non-political and non-governmental development organization committed to bring lasting improvements in children's lives. Plan has been working in Kenya since 1982. Plan Kenya's country goal is transformed institutions and societies that respect and fulfil rights of all children in Kenya. We are seeking for services of a consultant to undertake a gender equality and child protection analysis study in Kilifi and Kwale Counties for the a 5-year project, designed to improve access to protective and quality school and community environments for children, particularly vulnerable girls and boys, in Kwale and Kilifi Counties.

Objectives of the analysis:
To document gaps in the gender equality and child protection mechanisms, systems and context, influencing factors underlying those gaps, submit actionable recommendations to address the gaps

Key assessment questions:


1. Establish the existing gender inequalities in primary and secondary education in Kwale and Kilifi counties including the specific factors underlying these inequalities?
2. Establish the existing formal, informal and self-initiated child protection mechanisms, systems, and structures serving both in community and in schools in Kwale and Kilifi counties
3. Identify the gaps in the existing mechanisms and systems
4. Assess the role of School related gender based violence (SRGBV)¹ and harmful traditional practices in girls' and boys' ability to access their rights to education and protection?
5. Identify the gender-based barriers to birth registration and the impacts of these barriers on women and men's access to birth registration services and consequently birth registration of girls and boys?

Terms of Reference Download Instructions:
Detailed Terms of Reference can be downloaded from the web link:
<http://reliefweb.int/job/683477/plan-international-inc-kenya-office-request-expression-interest-consultancy-services>
The TOR may also be obtained through the email: Kenya.CO@plan-international.org at no cost

Submission:
Technical and financial proposals should be sent separately clearly marked "Tulinde Tusome: Creating Safe and Protective Spaces for Improved Learning in Kwale and Kilifi Counties, Kenya and addressed to: **Plan International Inc., Kenya Country Office, Oloitokitok Road, Lavinton, Methodist Ministries Centre, Block C, Ground Floor, P.O. Box 25196-00603, Nairobi, Kenya**

Closing date for submission of the application package is: **25th August, 2014 before 12.00 hours.**

Plan will not respond to unsuccessful submissions.



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Application forms available in our management offices in Kisumu and on 15th floor Reinsurance plaza Nairobi, to be duly completed and returned to the Manager Property's office by **4pm 21st August, 2014.**





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PRE-QUALIFICATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR 2014 & 2015

WWF Global conservation organization invites application from reputable suppliers to be considered for inclusion in the Organization’s list of approved suppliers for provision of goods and services (please visit our website for financial year 2014-2015).


Interested bidders may obtain further information and/or collect the tender pre-qualification documents from the reception of the WWF ROA (Regional Office For Africa), 5th Floor, ACS Plaza, Lenana Road, between 9.00 am and 4.00 pm Monday to Thursday and between 9.00 am and 12.00 pm on Friday upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Kshs. 3,000 per set of document per category cash only cheque not accepted.

Duly completed documents should be returned on or before **22nd August 2014**, to be dropped in the tender box at the WWF-ROA offices.

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7	WWF/ ROA /FY14-15/07	Supply, Maintenance and Repair of IT Equipment / Computers, cameras and Accessories, Supply and installation of Computer Software
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Address your tender document to.

THE PROCUREMENT OFFICER.
WWF- REGIONAL OFFICE FOR AFRICA
Clearly indicate the Tender Number and Category .



COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KIRINYAGA

PREQUALIFICATION OF SUPPLIERS AND CONTRACTORS

The County Assembly of Kirinyaga invites interested, registered and eligible suppliers/service providers to apply for prequalification for the supply of the following items to Kirinyaga County Assembly for the financial year 2014-2015/2015-2016.

S\NO	ITEM NO	DESCRIPTION	TARGET GROUP
SUPPLIES			
1.	CAK/001/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of petrol, diesel oil, lubricant and gas and wood fuel.	Open
2.	CAK/002/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of staff uniforms, sports uniforms, sports equipment and domestic linens.	Open
3.	CAK/003/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of assorted stationery.	Youth/women/Persons with disability (PWD)
4.	CAK/004/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of cleaning materials and detergents.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
5.	CAK/005/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of scratch & calling cards.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
6.	CAK/006/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of newspapers, periodicals and library materials.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
7.	CAK/007/2014/2016	Prequalification for repair & servicing of office machines and equipment.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
8.	CAK/008/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of hire of transport, plant and equipment.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
9.	CAK/009/2014/2016	Prequalification of contractors for building, maintenance and renovation of the Assembly premises and residential houses.	Open
10.	CAK/010/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision for hire of hotel conference facility, accommodation and catering services.	Open
11.	CAK/011/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of catering services (food and drinks)	Open
12.	CAK/012/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of repair & maintenance of office furniture.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
13.	CAK/013/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of legal services.	Open
14.	CAK/014/2014/2016	Prequalification for supply of air conditioners, fans, heating appliances and firefighting equipment.	Open
15.	CAK/015/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of installation and maintenance of power generator	Open
16.	CAK/016/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of valuation services.	Open
17.	CAK/017/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of air ticketing services and Visa services (IATA registered firms only).	Open
18.	CAK/018/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of networking services (LAN, VLAN & WAN)	Open
19.	CAK/019/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of internet services	Open
20.	CAK/020/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of printing and binding services.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
21.	CAK/021/2014/2016	Prequalification for supply of batteries, tyres and tubes for vehicles.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
22.	CAK/022/2014/2016	Prequalification for Supply of office furniture & fittings.	Open
23.	CAK/023/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of photocopiers, scanners, telephone, telex, facsimile, mobile phones.	Open
24.	CAK/024/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision and supply of computer accessories and software	Open
25.	CAK/025/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of broadcasting and information services and equipment (hansard)	Open
26.	CAK/026/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of security services.	Open
27.	CAK/027/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of electronics and electrical installation services.	Open
28.	CAK/028/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of land scaping and mowing services.	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
29.	CAK/029/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of MCA's and staff insurance.	Open
30.	CAK/030/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of motor vehicle insurance.	Open
31.	CAK/031/2014/2016	Prequalification for the provision of property insurance	Open
32.	CAK/032/2014/2016	Prequalification for supply, installation of CCTV security system, digital billboards and digital recording systems.	Open
33.	CAK/033/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of design & printing of promotional branded materials & other related services	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
34.	CAK/034/2014/2016	Prequalification for provision of interior design and other related services	Youth/women/Persons with disability(PWD)
35.	CAK/035/2014/2016	Prequalification for training/capacity building services for staff & MCA's.	Open
36.	CAK/036/2014/2016	Prequalification for preparation of strategic planning & consultancy services.	Open
37.	CAK/037/2014/2016	Prequalification for supply of bottled drinking water	Youth/women/Persons with disability
38.	CAK/038/2014/2016	Prequalification for supply of computers, printers, UPS's and other IT equipment.	Open

The prequalification documents with detailed specifications may be obtained during normal working hours **8.00am-1.00pm and 2.00pm-5.00pm** from the **Procurement office in Kirinyaga County Assembly.**

- Bidders MUST attach**
- a copy of VAT/PIN Registration Certificate
 - a copy of valid Tax Compliance Certificate
 - a copy of Certificate of Incorporation
 - a detailed company/business profile

Youth, women and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.
Complete Prequalification documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked" **TENDER NUMBER.....FOR.....** SHOULD BE **DEPOSITED IN THE TENDER BOX AT THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OFFICE PLACED AT THE LOBBY UPSTAIRS OR SEND VIA POST** ADDRESSED TO:

The Clerk
County Assembly of Kirinyaga
P.O. Box 55-10300
KERUGOYA

So as to reach them on or before 29th August, 2014 at 10.00 am to be opened thereafter. Tender opening exercise will be witnessed by bidders or their representatives who choose to attend. The Assembly reserves the right to reject or accept any tender and is not bound to give reason for its rejection.

KAMAU AIDI
THE CLERK
KIRINYAGA COUNTY ASSEMBLY



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INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

INVITATION FOR PREQUALIFICATION OF DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT BIDDERS FOR PORT REITZ/MOI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT ACCESS (C110) ROAD

TENDER NO. KENHA/869/2014

1. The Government of Kenya (Recipient) has applied for financing from TradeMark East Africa and intends to apply part of the financing towards the cost of design and construction of Port Reitz / Moi International Airport Access (C110) Road located within Mombasa County in the Republic of Kenya.
2. The roads to be improved are as follows:
 - a. The Port Reitz road starts at the KPA gate and runs in a northerly direction to join Moi International Airport road. Length of this road section is about 2.2 km.
 - b. Moi International Airport (C110) road starts at the Magongo junction and runs in a South - Easterly direction and ends at the entrance to the Airport. Moi International Airport (C110) road is approximately 1.8 Kms.
 - c. Section of Magongo road between C110 and the Changamwe round-about, approximately 1.0 km length.
3. The Ministry of Transport and Infrastructure through its implementing agency, the Kenya National Highways Authority, KeNHA, intends to prequalify bidders for the purpose of prequalification.
4. It is anticipated that the successful bidder will sign a fixed price contract with KeNHA to provide design and construction services subject to signing the Finance Agreement between TradeMark East Africa, the National Treasury and the Ministry of Transport and Infrastructure.
5. The Design and Build Contract approach will be adopted where the successful bidder shall undertake due diligence and detailed investigations and prepare detailed engineering designs on which construction shall be based. The bidders are therefore expected to have experience and capability in both design and construction and are encouraged to associate as construction firms and consultancy firms to enhance their capabilities in these areas.
6. The detailed scope of works is contained in the prequalification document and generally include the following:-
 - a) Strengthening/reconstruction of the single carriageway road and widening to dual carriageway
 - b) Construction of pavement layers
 - c) The construction of 2 No. grade separated junctions/interchanges
7. Prequalification under this invitation will be conducted in accordance with the public procurement procedures contained in the Government of Kenya's Public Procurement and Disposal Act (PPDA), 2005 and is open to all bidders or firms and voluntary joint ventures from any country except where: i) commercial relations between the bidding firm's country of origin and the Recipient's country (Kenya) are prohibited by law or official regulation, and ii) in compliance with a United Nations Security Council resolution prohibiting importation of goods or payments to persons or entities in the bidding firm's country of origin. Bidders affected by any of these conditions will not be eligible to participate.
8. Bidders are expected to demonstrate the following information among other requirements contained in the prequalification document, which shall be used for the evaluation process.
 - (a) Certified copy of certificate of registration/incorporation
 - (b) Certified copy or current tax compliance certificates
 - (c) A copy of joint venture (JV) agreement, or letter of intent to form a joint venture
 - (d) For local firms, registration by the relevant regulatory authority including National Construction Authority, minimum class NCA 2, and relevant Engineers Board of Kenya registration.

NOTE: For foreign bidders, equivalents of the above shall be required.
9. The shortlisting of firms for the works under this invitation will be conducted in accordance with the public procurement procedures contained in the Government of Kenya's Public Procurement and Disposal Act, 2005.
10. KeNHA will establish a short list of qualified bidders who shall be issued with the bid documents and submit bids for the contract. It is expected prequalified firms will be invited to submit bids in the fourth quarter of 2014. Bidders will be allowed approximately ninety (90) days from the date of issuance of the Invitation for Bids (IFB) to prepare and submit their bids. The design and construction contract is expected to commence later in the first quarter of 2015 and the estimated duration for design and construction is 18 calendar months.
11. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the Prequalification Document from the Procurement Office at the Kenya National Highways Authority located at the address below from 0800 Hrs to 1700 Hrs (East Africa Time), on working days.
12. Prospective bidders may submit written requests for clarifications regarding the information contained in the prequalification documents to the address indicated below at least 14 days before the deadline for submission of the Application for Prequalification.
13. Bidders can download a complete set of the Prequalification document from the KeNHA website www.kenha.co.ke.
14. Completed prequalification documents (one original and three copies) should be submitted in sealed envelopes, either delivered by hand, courier or by registered mail to the address below, latest 1200 Hrs Local time on **11th September 2014**, and be clearly marked "**Application for Prequalification for the Design and Construction of Port Reitz/Moi International Airport Access (C110) Road in Kenya**". Tender No. KeNHA/869/2014.

The Procurement Manager
Supply Chain and Support Services
Kenya National Highways Authority
Blue Shield Towers, Hospital Road, Upper Hill
P.O. Box 49712 -00100
NAIROBI
Tel. 020-8013842
Email: dg@kenha.co.ke

Late applications for prequalification will be rejected.

15. Opening of the bids will take place immediately thereafter at the KeNHA Headquarters Board Room, 3rd Floor, Blue Shield Towers, Hospital Road, Upper Hill, in the presence of bidder's representatives who choose to attend.

Levina Wanyonyi
FOR DIRECTOR GENERAL

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For appointment to this position, the successful candidate must have the following qualifications:-

- Bachelors Degree
- At least two years experience in a similar position.
- Ability to work effectively in a team based environment and function as a highly visible professional role model.
- Excellent communication, organization and administrative skills.
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office including Word, PowerPoint, Excel, Access and Outlook.
- Administrative experience in a Law firm will be an added advantage.

Please send your application and CV quoting the position reference on both letter and envelope to:

The HR Business Partner, General Motors East Africa Ltd, Enterprise/Mombasa road,
P. O. Box 30527 – 00100, NAIROBI
Only qualified candidates will be contacted
Deadline 21st August, 2014



TANATHI WATER SERVICES BOARD

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The positions of **Managing Director** and **Finance Officer**.
- Yatta Water Services Company:
The position of **Managing Director**.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

KENYA TRADENET SYSTEM END USER TRAINING - REGISTRATION

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As part of the Project implementation process, we will be conducting end-user training for all the Clearing and Forwarding agents as well as Exporters and Importers dealing with the following Government Agencies; **Kenya Sugar Board, Kenya Dairy Board, Pest Control Product Board, Kenya Wildlife Service, Radiation and Protection Board, Mining and Geology Department, National Biosafety Authority and Coffee Board of Kenya.**

To facilitate this exercise each organization/institution is requested to nominate **TWO PERSONS** to be trained on how to use the System. To apply for the training kindly submit your details via the URL indicated below by **August 22, 2014.**

http://kentrade.go.ke/application_form/pgs-phase-ii-online-registration/

The schedule for the training will be as follows:

NO.	REGION	START DATE	END DATE	TARGET GROUP
1	NAIROBI	1/9/2014	30/09/2014	CLEARING & FORWARDING AGENTS, EXPORTERS AND IMPORTERS
2	MOMBASA	01/09/2014	10/09/2014	CLEARING & FORWARDING AGENTS, EXPORTERS AND IMPORTERS
3	NAMANGA	1/10/2014	2/10/2014	CLEARING & FORWARDING AGENTS, EXPORTERS AND IMPORTERS

Those who were trained on Kenya TradeNet System Phase 1A between October 2013 - August 2014 need not to apply.

For further clarifications please contact us on + 254-0202795231 or email: kneswstraining@kentrade.go.ke

Project Director
For: CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



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The Human Resources Manager
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P O Box 41937, NAIROBI – 01000
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HOMA BAY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

PURCHASE OF LAND FOR WARD OFFICES FOR COUNTY ASSEMBLY MEMBERS

The County Assembly of HOMA BAY wishes to purchase land for construction of ward offices within Homa Bay County.

The purpose of this advert is to seek Expression Of Interest (EOI) from suitable individuals/groups with suitable land and willing to sale to participate by bidding. Bid documents are obtained in the Procurement Office of Homa Bay County Assembly building.

The complete Expression of Interest document should be submitted in sealed envelope clearly marked **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) PURCHASE OF LAND FOR WARD OFFICES FOR COUNTY ASSEMBLY MEMBERS** indicating the ward you are bidding for.

Bid documents for purchase of land shall be returned and deposited in the tender box right at the entrance of the County Assembly on or before 22th August 2014 at 10:00 AM .opening shall follow thereafter. Bidders are required to attach copy of title deed or certified search certificate for those areas whose title deeds are question or both, PIN Certificate, Candidates may attend the opening in person or by their representative.

NO	NAME OF WARDS	TARGETED CENTERS PLACES
1	KANYADOTO WARD	MARIWA CENTER AREA
2	KWABUAYI WARD	GOT KOJOWI MARKET AREA
3	KANYAMWA KOLOGI WARD	KOBODO MARKET AREA
4	KANYAMWA KOSEWE WARD	NDHIWA MARKET TOWNSHIP AREA
5	KANYIKELA WARD	AIR STRIP AREA (KANYIKELA)
6	SOUTH KABUOCH PALA WARD	KAKAKO CENTER AREA
7	NORTH KABUOCH WARD	SIKWADHI MARKET AREA
8	HOMA BAY EAST WARD	BENGA MARKET
9	HOMA BAY CENTRAL WARD	RODI KOPANY AREA
10	HOMA BAY WEST WARD	AKELLE BENGA MARKET
11	ARUJO WARD	KODOYO JUNCTION AREA
12	KAGAN WARD	KIRONGO MARKET AREA
13	KABONDO EAST	OTHORO MARKET AREA
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COAST WATER SERVICES BOARD



Country: Kenya

Project: WATER AND SANITATION SERVICE IMPROVEMENT
PROJECT-ADDITIONAL FINANCING (WaSSIP-AF)

Credit No.: IDA 51030-KE

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

**IFB TITLE: SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF MOWASCO REPAIR KIT
(PIPES AND FITTINGS)**

IFB No. CWSB/AF-WaSSIP/MRK/G020/2012

REF. No. G020

- This invitation for bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared online in UN Development Business, issue No. 819 of 26th March, 2012.
- The Government of Kenya has applied for a credit from the International Development Association (IDA) toward the cost of Water and Sanitation Service Improvement Project–Additional Financing (WaSSIP-AF) and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the Contract for **Supply and Delivery of MOWASCO Repair Kit (Pipes and Fittings), IFB No. CWSB/AF-WaSSIP/MRK/G020/2014**. Bidding will be governed by the World Bank's eligibility rules and procedures.
- The Coast Water Services Board, a state corporation in the Ministry of Environment, Water and Natural Resources (MEWR), now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Supply and Delivery of MOWASCO Repair Kit in lots as shown below:
 - Lot 1:- Supply and Delivery of Mzima pipeline repair kit and pipes (Centre pieces, Socket adaptors, Spigot Adaptors, Flexible Couplings & Steel pipes)**
 - Lot 2:- Supply and Delivery of Couplings, Repair Clamps and Air valves (Viking Johnson (VJ) couplings , Ranger couplings ,Repair Clamps & Air Valves**
 - Lot 3:- Supply and Delivery of Meter Test Bench**
- Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IDA Credits published by the Bank in January 2011, and is open to all Eligible bidders. Bidders have the option to bid for one or more Lots. The basis for bid evaluation and contract award will be on lot-by-lot basis.
- Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from:

Chief Executive Officer
Coast Water Services Board
Mikindani Street, off Nkrumah Road
MOMBASA, KENYA
Fax 254-041-2316471
Email: info@cwsb.go.ke

and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from **0800 hours to 1630 hours** local time from Monday to Friday, except during lunch hour (**1230 hours to 1400 hours**), during weekends and public holidays.

- A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Kshs. 1,000.00 per set** (or equivalent in freely convertible currency). The method of payment will be cash or bankers cheque from a reputable bank in Kenya. The Bidding Documents will be collected from the address below upon production of a purchase receipt.
- Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before **1200 hours** East Africa time on **30th September, 2014**. Electronic bidding shall not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened physically in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at **1205 hours** East Africa time on **30th September, 2014**.
- All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security (in form of a bank guarantee) per lot as follows: **Lot 1: Kshs. 300,000 (Kenya Shillings Three Hundred Thousand Only)**, **Lot 2: Kshs. 150,000 (Kenya Shillings One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Only)** and **Lot 3: Kshs. 300,000 (Kenya Shillings Three Hundred Thousand Only)** or equivalent amount in freely convertible currency.
- The address referred to above is:

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COAST WATER SERVICES BOARD
Mikindani Street, Off Nkrumah Road
MOMBASA, KENYA

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A070 Deaths

IN MEMORIAM OF NORRIS - MICHAEL EWART ROSS. A memorial service will be held at St. George's church, Nanyuki on Friday 12th September 2014 at 2.00pm.

A109 Lost

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A279 Notices

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Physical Planning Act (Ppa) – Cap. 286:

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The owner(s) of the above mentioned plot measuring about 0.3679 hectare wish to seek the above referenced planning permission subject to approval by the Nairobi City County Government. Any individual (s), institution (s) or organization(s) with objections are requested to do so in writing within fourteen (14) days with effect from the date hereof pursuant to the requirements of the PPA-Cap.286; and address them to: The County Secretary, Nairobi City County P.O. Box 30075 - 00100, Nairobi.

Dated: 15th August, 2014

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PHYSICAL PLANNING ACT (CAP 286)

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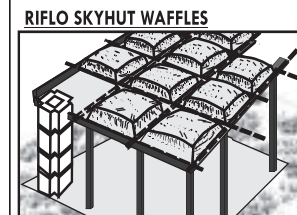
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Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with profound sorrow and humble
acceptance of God's will that we announce
the sudden passing on of Mr. Samuel Maina
Murage of Kenya National Audit Office Nairobi
on 12/08/2014. Son of Mr Erastus Murage and
Mrs Tabitha Gathoni Murage of Ngarua, Lobere
Village. Brother of Dr Wachira Murage of Knh
and Savannah Healthcare, Joel Mwangi DEO
Baragoi, Fred Gitahi of Kenas, Annmary Wambui-
Nrb, Winfred Wairimu- Ukulima Sacco, Irene
Nyawira-Krishna Pharmaceuticals, John Ndungu,
Lucy Nyaguthie - DADAAB & Dickson Muriithi
of Kinamba PS Nakuru.

Burial will be held on Thursday 21st August 2014
in Laikipia County Nyahururu District, Ngarua
Division, Kinamba, Lobere Village. Meetings are
held at St.Andrews PCEA Church on 15,18 &
19 August, 2014.



**Samuel Maina
Murage**

In God's hands you rest in our hands you will live forever.Amen.

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

We give thanks to the Lord for the life of Joseph
Ndirangu Mwangi who suddenly went to be with the
Lord on 12/8/2014.

Son of the late Joseph Mwangi Gahcau and Leah
Wairimu. Husband of Magdaline Wanjiru Ndirangu.
Father of Margaret Wairimu, Nancy Wangari, Jane
Waceke, Isabel Wambui, James Mwangi, Esther
Nyokabi, Alice Wanjiku, Stephen Wang'ombe
(Maina) and Peter Ndegwa. Brother of the late David
Gachau, late George Mugambi, Michael Hinga, Janet
Wanjiru, Stephen Wahome and Jane Wambui. Step
brother of Magdaline Waceke, Joseph Munyiri, Isaya
Macharia (Hinga) and Phillip Ndirangu. Son-in-law of
the late Stephen Wang'ombe and Hannah Wangari.
Grandfather of 11 children. Father-in-law of David
Gitahi, Douglas Njuguna, late Peter Munga, Ann
Wanja, Daniel Muthage and Paul Manyeki.

Family members and friends are meeting daily at
his Mweiga home (Ikumari) and Central Park Hotel
Nairobi along Sheikh Karume Road between Ronald
Ngala St & Luthuli Avenue for prayers and funeral
arrangements. Funeral date to be advised later.



**Joseph Ndirangu
Mwangi**

In God's hands you rest and in our hearts you remain cherished. Shalom!!

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we
announce the sudden and untimely death of John
Muthii Mugo of Nairobi City County Monitoring
and Evaluation Dept on 12 August 2014 after a
short illness.

Son of the late Earnest Mugo Macharia and Late
Mary Wanjiru. Beloved husband of Margaret
Wanjiku Muthii, father of Catherine Wanjiru,
Ernest Mugo and the late Wangui. Brother of
Nyambura, Wangui, Macharia, Njoroge, Wanjiku,
Maina, Mbugua and Ndegwa.

Family and friends are meeting daily at Upways
Hotel, Thika Road next to Homeland Inn from
6.00pm and at his residence in Githurai 45.
The cortege leaves Ol-Kalou District Hospital
mortuary on Tuesday, 19th August 2014 at 9 am for funeral service and
burial thereafter at his parents' home in Thitai, Ol-Kalou Central plot 276.



John Muthii Mugo

Huruka thaayu Muthii Witu

Passing on of a Legend

It's with deep sorrow, and humble acceptance of
God's will, that we announce the passing on of
Rehema Winnie Muthoni Kanini that occurred on
Thursday, August 7, 2014 in India after donating her
kidney to a relative.

Cherished daughter of the late Jason Kanini and
Noadiah Wangari; Adored sister of Isaac Arthur
Kamau, Rebecca Naomi Njeri and Fadhili Edwin
Maina; Loving sister-in-law of Damaris Wangari
Kamau; Beloved aunt of Alvin Jason Kanini and
Noadiah Peninah Wangari. Beloved grand-daughter of
Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Maina King'aru.
Family, friends and relatives are meeting at both her
rural home near Ihiga Primary School, Kangema
Constituency, Murang'a County from 4pm daily and
at St. Andrews PCEA Church, Nairobi from 5.30pm
to 8.30pm daily.

The cortege leaves Kenyatta University Funeral Home
on Tuesday, August 19, 2014 at 9am for the funeral
service which shall take place at Gikui Community
Church starting at 11.00am. The burial will be held
soon after at the family home in Ihiga Village.
For contributions, and more information, contact:
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**Psalms 116:15 "Precious in the sight of the
Lord is the death of his saints"**



**Rehema Winnie
Muthoni Kanini**

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Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we
announce the death of Mrs Elizabeth Taptildich
Sirma of Kaminjeiywet village, chemosot location,
Roret Division of Bureti District, Kericho County.
Wife of the late Chebochok Sirma. Co-wife of
Martha Sirma. Mother of Zeddy Chepkwony,
Mary Siele, the late Sarah Chepkwony, Anna
Tangus, Simon Rotich, Leah Sirma, Late Recho
Langat, Philip Rotich and David Rotich. Mother-
in-law of Lazaro Chepkwony, late Hazaria Siele,
Reuben Chepkwony, Charles Tangus, Emily Rotich,
late John Langat, Recho Rotich and Mary Rotich.
Grandmother to 51 grandchildren, many great
grandchildren and 13 great great grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are going on at home
kaminjeiywet.

The body will depart from Lazarus funeral home,
kericho today friday 15th August 2014.

The Funeral will take place at home kaminjeiywet
tomorrow Saturday 16/8/2014.

May the Lord rest her soul in eternal peace.Amen



**Elizabeth
Taptildich Sirma**

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

It's a humble acceptance of God's will that we
announce the death of Mr. Alphonse Odhiambo
Wamaya after a long illness on 12/08/2014. Formerly
of KQ Cargo Reservation.

Son of the late John Wamaya Wando and Madesta
Nyao. Husband of Alice Atieno and Selina Awour
Father of Oscar Oduor (General Freighters),
Timothy Ngesa (Hi-tech Impex), Kerina Achieng,
Kenneth Otieno, Paul Owino (Tuskys), Millicent
Akoth, Consolata Anyango, Daniel Wanyanga,
Lavender Akinyi, Rael, Ronald and Vivian. Grandfather
of Barbara, Shannon, Brandon, Faith, Grace, Ryan,
Tacy, Travis, Darell and Michelle. Father in law of Don
Nyagwallah, Esther, Maria, Joyce and Winnie.

Fundraiser will be held at The Other place Outring
-Kangundo Rd junction behind Total Petrol station on
Sat 16.08.2014 at 3pm. M-pesa contributions can
be sent of 0713 892 128. Cortege leaves Madeya
funeral home (Sidindi, Siaya) on 22/08/2014 at 11am.
Burial will take place on 23/08/2014 at Satoto Village,
Mumias District, Kakamega County.

In God's hands you rest in our hearts you live forever



**Alphonse
Odhiambo Wamaya**

Death Announcement

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the death
of Justus Kariuki Nyamu of Karima Pharmacy,
Othaya which occurred on 11/8/2014 after a short
illness at Outspan Hospital.

Husband of late Ann Njoki Kariuki. Son of late
Joram Nyamu and Leah Wanjiku Nyamu of Kahuhia.
Father of Anastasia Wanjiku Ndegwa (Kangema
High School), Jane Wangui Mwangi (Kiamuiru),
Florence Njeri Gichuki (Gichira Nyeri), Ruth
Wangari Gatuni (Kagio), Peter Nyamu Kariuki
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Wangechi (Othaya). Father-in-law of Mr. Ndegwa
(Principal Ititu), David Mwangi (Nairobi), Joseph
Mathenge (Nairobi), Lawrence Mwangi (Murang'a
High), Wilson Githaiga (Othaya) and Monica Njeri
(Mater Hosp).

Friends and relatives are meeting at his home
Gikandu (Murang'a), Abbey Hotel (Nairobi) and
Othaya Silent Lodge for funeral arrangements.
There will be a fundraising to offset hospital bill
at Othaya White Hse Hotel on 17th August 2014
at 2.00 p.m.

Burial to be announced later.



**Justus Kariuki
Nyamu**

Death Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that
we announce the passing on of David Githiomi
Njuguna which occurred on Wednesday 13th
August 2014 after a short illness. Son of the late
Paul Njuguna Muchiri and Rosemary Wanjiru
Njuguna of Ngenya Village, Nyanduma Location
Lari District. Husband of Elizabeth Nyarui and
Nancy Nyoike. Father of Joan Wanjiru (Mombasa),
Mary Wanjiku, Bernadette Wangu and Catherine
Wambui of UK, Eliud Nyoike, David Njori, Peter
Njoroge of Nairobi and Rahab Wangari of Sweden.
Grandfather of Elizabeth Nyarui, Aimee Williams,
Justine Nyoike, Ambigael and Haily. Brother of
the late Nelson Muchiri, Joseph Chege, chales
Mwai, mary Wangari, Partricia Njeri, Joseph Kungu
and Stephen Njoroge.

Friends and relatives are meeting daily at his
residential home Huruma Block P House No.4 and
Fig Tree Murang'a Road from 6:00pm.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later



**David Githiomi
Njuguna**

Celebration of life well lived

It is with humble acceptance of Gods will
that we announce the demise of Elder
George Njoroge Ngugi on 10th August 2014.
Husband of Lucy Wamuyu Njoroge. Father
of Ann Muthoni Gitau of Mwimuto, Francis
Ngugi of Kenya Prisons Athi River, Beatrice
Waithera Mwangi of P.C.E.A Head Office and
Moses Macharia of U.S.A.

The cortege leaves Montezuma Funeral
home Nairobi on Wednesday 20/08/2014
at 8:00am. The funeral service will be held
at P.C.E.A Nyathuna Church from 11.00am
there after the burial will take place at his
home Kihururu, Nyathuna.

**"You fought a good fight you won the
race and kept the faith. May your soul
rest in eternal peace.Amen"**



**Elder George
Njoroge Ngugi**

St. Michael's Girls' High School, Kenol Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we
announce the death of Paul Ngugi Muchoki at Equator Hospital, Nairobi
West on 9th August, 2014. Son of the late Muchoki Kamau
and the late Jane Wahu Muchoki. Loving husband of Emma
Njoki Ngugi. Father of Samuel Muchoki - Kibandi, Joe Nyutu
(St. Michael's Girls), late Jane Wanjiru, Lucy Muthoni, late
John Irungu - Majohnnie, Margaret Wanjiku (City Market),
Alice Wamuyu (City Market) and James Gitau - Jimmy.
Father in love of Mwangi - Mwittemania, Daniel Kanyari,
Steve Mwandandu, Rose Nyutu (St. Paul's Boys), Mary Irungu
and Norine Jimmy. Grandfather of Njeri Kibandi, Elizabeth
Kibandi, Emma Kibandi, Paul Kibandi, Ngugi Kibandi, Njoki
Nyutu, Ngugi Nyutu, Mike Nyutu, Carol Mwangi, Kimani
Mwangi, Paul Mwangi, Paul Irungu, Mwangi Irungu, Walter
Kanyari, Ngugi Kanyari, Gift Mwandandu, Julius Mwandandu,
Ngugi Jimmy and Njoki Jimmy. Great grandfather of Eliza,
Michele and Muriithi. He was brother of the late Wanjiku
Kanyutu and late Angelica Mukhi Ngugi. The cortege leaves
Kenyatta University Funeral Home on Tuesday 19th August
2014 at 8:30am for burial service at Thangira Catholic
Church - Makuyu and later burial at his home, Thangira Village
on the same day. Friends and relatives are meeting daily at KK
Bar and Restaurant, St. Michael's Girls' High School, Kenol and
at his home, Thangira Village at 6:00 pm.

May the Lord rest his soul in eternal peace.Amen



**Paul Ngugi
Muchoki**

(Kahuuni-wa Kibandi-Guka)

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we
announce the passing on of our beloved mum,
Madam Sarah Kiplagat of Kipkabus downs that
occurred on 8/8/2014 at Moi Teaching and Referral
Hospital after a long battle with cancer.

Daughter of Late Chebet Kibisu and Saniago Kibisu.
Wife of Mr. Simon Kiplagat. Mother of Timothy
(KEMRI), Joyce (Chase Bank) Hillary (NDMA),
Sheila (MKU) Mercy (Kapropta girls) and Charity
(Kessup Girls). Sister of Francis, Patrick, Grace, Rael,
William and Late Linah. Aunt of Stanley, Issack,
Veronica, Steve, Edwin, Maureen, Sam, Jekemio,
Robert, Noah and many others. Grandmother of
Kaylan and dear friend of many.

The cortege leaves MTRH on Friday today 15th
August 2014 at 2.00pm and thereafter prayers and
funeral service will take on 16th Aug 2014 at her
home, Kipkabus Downs, Tumeiyo Location - Elgeyo
Marakwet County.

**I have fought the good fight,
I have kept the faith. 2 Tm 4:7**



**Madam Sarah
Kiplagat**

Sunrise 1964 - Sunset 2014

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with acceptance of God's will that we announce
the passing of Nkoonto Ole Nairi. Husband of Kilau,
Nkoriampai, Ntiana and Sintoyia.

Son of the late Sederi Molonket Ntiai and the late
Naneu Sederi. Father of Lemeck, Wuanka, Karato
Turerer, the late Kamuanka Moloi, Merin, Motonka,
Sikanja Siango, Siyankoi Simion, Kisiampe Solitei,
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Mirisha, Toimasi, Simparo, Ntelika, Maleno Moses,
Kilena Koin, Sipala Koyeyio, Meneto Moikai, Stenei,
Tinkoi, Rakaro & Pasiani. Brother of the late Omu
Nairi, Naboye Maruna, Nakosie Mutunkei and
Katito Solitei.

Blessed with 87 grandchildren and 14 great
grandchildren.

Friends and relatives are meeting daily at his home.

The cortege leaves Machakos Lee Funeral Home on
Monday 18th August 2014 at 9:00am. Burial will be
held at his home Arroi Village Mashuuru District.

Rest in peace Dad till we meet again.Amen



**Nkoonto Ole
Nairi**
1922 - 10/8/2014



Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with deep sorrow and humble acceptance that we announce the untimely death of Alloys Odhiambo Omenda an employee of Amref Kenya. Son of the late Cyrillus and Isabella Omenda. Beloved husband of Anna Seline Achieng Odhiambo. Loving father of Daniel Oduor, Edwin Otieno, Veronich Awino, Isaya Ogumbe, Humphrey Otieno and Bradley Omenda. Brother of Joseph, Philip, Joseph Oluoch, late Matthew, late Oure, Mary and Tom Omenda.

Family and friends are meeting at Ziwan Estate, Kariakor, House No.131. The cortege will leave M.P. Shah hospital on 21/08/14 at 2pm for a funeral service at St. Mary Catholic Church Kariakor at 3pm. The body will depart for Alego West Mahoro, Siaya County on the 22/08/14 where he will be laid to rest on 23/08/14 from 10am.

May God rest his soul in eternal peace.



Alloys Odhiambo Omenda

Celebration of A Life Well Lived

It is with deep sorrow and humble acceptance of Gods will that we announce the passing on of Mwalimu Risper Atieno Oduor HSC of Makongeni Primary School, an Executive committee member, Kenya National Music Festival, Choir Director Muungano National Choir and Choir Mistress at St. Barnabas Church Otiende Estate Langata, which occurred on 8/08/2014. Loving wife of James Oduor Mbanda Claudio of Kakamega, Shirere. Daughter of Isaac Oduor and the late mama Truphosa Ayieko Oduor of Nyakach Agoro. Mother of Christine, the late Maureen, Josephine, Dan Nash and Isaac. Grandmother of Sean Winans Mbanda. Sister of George, the late Paul, the late Sam, Dan, the late Christopher and Bethwel. Loving cousin of Janet Ogada, Commissioner Emily Ominde and others. Aunty to Isaac, Daisy, Rhoda and others. The Family and Friends are meeting daily at her residence in Otiende Estate Langata for funeral arrangements. There will be a Mini Harambee on Saturday 16/08/14 from 2pm at her residence in Otiende Estate Langata. Other details to be announced later.

You have fought the good fight, you have run the race, and you have kept the faith...



Risper Atieno Oduor

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the death of Jonathan Nzuki Kikwau which occurred on 7th August 2014.

Son of Late Kikwau Nyongwe, Late Kivinya Kikwau. Husband of Mary Mueni & Annah Ndinda. Brother of Bonface Kikwau, Late Mukai. Father of Late Mutuku Nzuki, Late Sammy Nzuki, the late Gedion Nzuki, Justus Nzuki, Onesmus Nzuki, Fredrick Nzuki, Beatrice Muasa, Shadrack Nzuki & Christine Nzuki. Father in-law of Pascalia Mutua, Agnes Sammy, Elizabeth Sammy, Christabel Kioko, Sarah Kyanthu & Jacob Muinde. Grandfather of Raymond Nzuki, Grace Kalundu, Ngei, Mutinda, Wambua, Mutuku, Kamau, Mbinyo, Mwendwa, Derrick, Mumo, Nzuki, Victor and others. Uncle of Nicholas, Thomas, Miriam, Geoffrey, Fidelis, Antony, Elizabeth, Carol, Musengya, Kamene, Muindi, Vaati, Peter Kilaka, Willy Kilaka. Brother in-law of Late Mativo, Kimatu, the late Mutula & Bernard Kaloki, Sammy Kisilu, Daniel Kisilu & Willy Kisilu.

Friends and relatives are meeting daily at garden square from 5.30pm for burial preparations. The Cortege leaves Montezuma Funeral home on 16th Aug 2014 for Burial at his home in Kusiyongali Village, Kithungo Location, Mbooni West District in Makueni County.



Jonathan Nzuki Kikwau
1933- 2014

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that the family and committee members announce the sudden passing on of dear Wanja Mbatia on 27th July 2014 in the USA.

She leaves behind a beautiful newborn, Riley Wanja.

We ask for your prayers and support for Riley's dad Hakeiem, Wanja's sisters Grace and Jane, her brother Muriithi and her mum and dad Mr & Mrs Mbatia.

The funeral service will be held at 10.00am on 16th August 2014 at West Cobb Funeral Home & Crematory in Marietta, GA (Georgia USA) and her body will be laid to rest shortly thereafter at Kennesaw Memorial Park; Kennesaw USA.

May the Lord continue to strengthen all that knew and have very fond memories of Wanja during this difficult time. Her beautiful smile and Great Spirit will be dearly missed.

May God Rest Her Soul in Eternal Peace.



Wanja Mbatia
24/06/1980 - 27/07/2014

Funeral and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the promotion to glory of Mr. Samwel Omwansa Masese of Nyamiranga Village. Beloved husband of Esther Nyaboke. Son to: Late Zaphania Masese and Late Tabitha Kerubo. Step-son of Salome & Annah. Father of Grace Kerubo (Nyamiranga sec.), James Kerandi (Borabu District Hospital), John Mongare (S.A.), Charles Okerio (Gusii Mwalimu), Lydia Bonareri, Gladys Moraa (Ogembo), Susan Monyangi (Nyamira Primary), Andrew Morara (Taiza Hospital), Jones Haphens (NYS), Robert Ongaro (Omonayo Sec), Joan Nyiera, Jackline Kemunto (KUSCCO), & Patrick Manchaba. Brother of Late Omariba, Maosa, Priscilla, Monubi (Nyamira Hospital), Timothy (Works Narok), Late Tabitha, Mweresa, Moraa, Kemunto, Jane, Nyiera, Irine, Pr. Masese, Samson, Janet, George (Abubakar), Marisera, Risper. Step Son of Manchaba, Mokua, Ongige, Maikansa. Father-in-law of Onsombi, Annah, Violet, Late Ruth, Evans, Josephine, Yulia, Everline. Cousin of Late Ayiera, Arisa, Late Nchoga, Ondieki, Bonareri Nyamoiita, Nyasoi, Mireri, Ndubi, Onchiri, Turungi, Nyamoiita, Kerubo among others. Nephew of Late Turungi, & Masese. Uncle of Alice, Rogena, Kano, Obare, Kerubo, Moraas, Getrude, Job, James, Franceline, Peter, Moseti, Elizabeth among others. Main fundraising will be on 19/08/2014 at Kisi Mwalimu Hotel and Nyamiranga home. The cortege leaves Hema Hospital Mortuary on Wednesday 20th August 2014 for burial on Thursday the 21st August 2014 at his home Nyamiranga village.



Mzee Samwel Omwansa Masese

Death and Funeral Announcement

We regret to announce the death of SPTE Boniface Thuku Ndungu of KDF, Signals Battalion, Kahawa Barracks. Son of late Ephraim Ndungu and late Catherine Njambi of Githiga village, Muranga County. Husband of Lucy Wangechi. Father of baby Cateclara Njambi. Brother of Ethan Ruingi, Susan Njoki and Robert Mwangi. Grandson of late Ethan Ruingi and Rachael Wanjiku Ruingi, the late Boniface Thuku and the late Sophia Njoki Thuku. Son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Njoroge Muhia of Gaichanjiru. Nephew of Mary Thumbi, Wairimu Ruingi, Robert Mwangi, Jane Muturi, late Grace Kimari and the Thuku's.

Family and friends are meeting daily at Magomano Bar and Crystal Bar and Restaurant-Githurai from 6pm. For Mpesa contributions number is 0705524073.

Cortege leaves Forces Memorial Hospital Mortuary on Tuesday 19th August 2014 at 8.00a.m for burial at Gatangara, Githiga village, Muranga County on the same day.

May God rest his soul in eternal Peace. Amen.



SPTE Boniface Thuku Ndungu
1987 - 2014

Death Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's Will that we announce the death of Mzee Hezron Onyango Oyako (Chenga) (formerly of Kenya Railways) of Madungu - Gulla, Sigomere Sub-loc. Uhulu, Siaya County that occurred on 11th August, 2014 after an illness. Son of Nahum Oyako (Late) and Phoebe Owambo (Late). Husband of Mama Drusilla Onyango and Leah Onyango. Father of Millie Tookey (UK), Jennifer Onyango (Late), Dan Onyango, Patricia Onyango (USA), Annabelle Olurn (UNEP), David Onyango (O'ben), Elizabeth Onyango, Tom Onyango (Late), Dorice Evans (UK) and Lillian Ouko. Brother of Samuel Ogutu (late), Lawi Onyango, Japhet Omondi (late), Nashed Ochieng' (late) and Wilson Ochieng' (late). Sister of Nereah (late) and Truphosa (late). Brother - in - law of Clarice Ogutu and Esther Onyango. Uncle of Washington Ogutu (late), Wilkister Ocholla, Henry Ogutu (Fidelity Shield Ins), Fred Ogutu, Ochieng Ogutu, adv. Boniface Ogutu, Kevin Ogutu (IAT), Rachel Akinyi (late) and Alice Anyango (Nyabondo). Father-in-law of Brian Tookey (UK), Hon. Joash Oluo, MP, Lang'ata, Gareth Evans (UK, formerly of Braeburn School), Albert Ouko (Nyabondo High School) and Vanessa Odhiambo. Grandpa of Mark Karake (USA), Cynthia Asioy (TZ), Yusuf Faye (New Zealand), Harold Onyango (UK), Julie Oluo (SA), Deborah Olurn (Hillcrest Secondary School), Tracy Onyango, David Ochieng' (Kisumu), Kevin Owuor (USIU), Ephy Ouko (MKU), Alliance Ouko, Client Ouko and Irene Ouko, Hope Evans and Aled Evans (UK), Amy Onyango and Nelson Omondi (late). There will be main fundraising to cater for funeral expenses on Saturday, 16th August, 2014 as from 2pm at Norwich Union Big (Opp. Hilton Hotel), 7th Fir. Rm.3. Final meeting shall be at the same venue next Tuesday, 19th August, 2014 at 5pm. Burial arrangements will be communicated later.

"There is a time for everything; a time to be born and a time to die. All is the will of God"



Mzee Hezron Onyango Oyako (Chenga)

Celebration of life

It's with great humility and acceptance of God's will that we announce the death of Francis Kairu Gicheru (D.O), which occurred on Monday the 11th August 2014 after a short illness.

Husband of Esther Wanjiku. Son of the late Gicheru and Gathoni. Brother of Wanyuru, Wanjiku and the late Njeri. Father of Peter (Min of Water Gatundu), Chege (Burma), Kihuha, Waruimbo (Burma), Paul (Gikomba), Rose, Martin (K.R.A) and Njogu (Thika). Father-in-law of Tressiah, Milkah, Ann, Margaret, Mercy and Irene. Grandfather and uncle of many.

Family and relatives are meeting in his rural home at Ituru, Gatundu South for daily prayers and funeral arrangements.

The cortege leaves Gatundu Hospital Mortuary on Tuesday 19th August 2014 at 8.00 a.m and thereafter a funeral service near St. Stephen Catholic Church wamukaya Ituru at 11.00 a.m. Burial service will thereafter be held at his home opposite Wamukaya Catholic Church.

In God's hands you rest, in our hearts you live forever.



Francis Kairu Gicheru (D.O)

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the sudden death of our dear mum Loice Nyambura Kerienye which occurred on 11th August 2014. Loving wife of Daniel Kerienye Wanderi. Cherished mother of Wangari (Nyeri), Sammy (Bahati), Titus (MSA), Wanjiku (Principal Njoro Girls), Susan (Igre), Maina (NRB), Wanjiru (E/Ravine), Rachael (NKR), Muraya (Loitoktok), Mutahi, Purity, Keshi and the late PM, John, Wambui and Shem. Mother-in-law of Steve, Jane, Phyllis, Virginia, Macharia, Kingori, Mureithi, Ngima, George and Essy. Step sister of Waititu, Wambui, Waceke, Wanjiru and Njeri. Grand mother of Kerienye, Wairimu, Mwangi, Nyambura, Mary, Tracy, Sharon, Michelle, Carol, Alvine, Martin, Sharlyne, Ian, Jimmy, Ashley among others.

The cortege leaves War Memorial Hospital Mortuary on Tuesday 19th August 2014 at 9:00am. Requiem mass will be held at 9:30a.m at Holy Trinity Catholic Church (near KMTC). Burial will be at Nakuru North Cemetery.

Mum you will forever remain in our hearts.



Loice Nyambura Kerienye

Death Announcement



Rabinder Pal Singh Choda (Kontu)
(1955 - 2014)

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the sudden sad demise of Rabinder Pal Singh Choda (Kontu) on Monday 11th August 2014 in Nairobi.

He was the Son of late Sarjit Singh Choda and Late Saraswati Kaur Choda. Husband to Avinash Choda (Bubby) Brother to Late Gurmeet Singh Choda, Late Harmit Singh Choda, Harinder Pal Singh Choda (Billa) Sukhvinder Kaur Kalsi of UK. Beloved father to Amrita, Renita & Namrata. Father in law to Ravi Soni & Kirit Rajput Grandfather to Tsevi, Yuvraj, Tsorav, & Kiana

Funeral Arrangements: The Cortege will leave from the Rajput Residence 135, Ridgeway Lane on Friday 15th August 2014 at 1245pm via Ramgharia Sikh Temple Pangani. The Funeral will take place at the Hindu Crematorium at 2pm

We think about you always, we talk about you still, you have never been forgotten, Dad and you never will.

We hold you close within our hearts, and there you will remain, To walk and guide us through our lives until we meet again.
WAHEGURU - WAHEGURU - WAHEGURU

6th Anniversary



Kibanya Gichero (Richard)

Baba, it is six years since you went to be with the Lord.

Dearly missed and affectionately remembered by your family and friends.

4th Anniversary



Rosalind Mwihaki Kibanya Mum (Maitu)

Mum, it is exactly four years since you were brutally plucked from us. We thank God for the time shared here. We will forever remember the values you instilled in us your children that have kept us going through difficult times. Rest in eternal peace till we meet again.

Dearly missed by your Mother, children, sisters and friends.

Baba and Mum forever in our heartsalways
"I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live even though they die" John 11:25

In Loving Memory / Appreciation

6th Anniversary

Appreciation



Francis Baiya Muongi

Our dear children, just close your eyes and you will see,
All the memories that you have of us,

Just sit and relax and you will find we are really still there inside
your mind.

Don't cry for us now that we are gone for we are in the land of
song.
There is no pain, there is no fear, so dry away those silent tears!

Don't think of us as being in the dark and cold, for here we are, no
longer old and no longer sick!

We are in a place that's filled with love, known to you all as "UP
ABOVE"

When loved ones become a memory, those memories become
treasures.

Dad, it is exactly six years today since you went to be with the
Lord. We thank God for the years that He gave us such a wonderful
Dad.

Dearly missed by your family, relatives and friends.



Mary Njery Baiya

We the family of the late Mrs. Mary Njeri Baiya would like to express
our most sincere gratitude and heartfelt appreciation for the love
and support that we received from all our relatives, friends and well
wishers during our beloved mum's illness and subsequent demise.

We acknowledge with profound gratitude every word of comfort,
expression of care and kindness, messages of encouragement,
sympathy, personal visits, spiritual support and the gracious and
generous contributions that we received. We remain touched and
comforted by your kind gestures.

We particularly wish to point out Fr. Canzian and Fr. Zacheus of Holy
Trinity Catholic Church, Kileleshwa, Fr. Joseph of Mary Mother of
God Catholic Church, Embulbul; Dr. Tesfa, Dr. Twahir and all the
ICU nurses at the Aga Khan Hospital for their tireless effort to make
mum comfortable; Mr. Sammy Muthui of AON Kenya; the Safaricom
staff; staff of BBDO and staff of REGSA, the neighborhood ladies in
Ngong and the CWA of Ngong Church; the funeral committees both
at All Saints Cathedral and at her residence in Ngong.

Since it is not possible to thank each of you individually, kindly accept
this message as an expression of our deepest gratitude.

Mum; although death has separated us physically, faith and love have
bound us eternally. Though we cannot see you, we know you are here.
Though we cannot touch you, we feel the warmth of your smile as we
begin a new chapter in our lives.

"In life we loved you, in death we cherish you, in heaven
you watch over us. Forever you live in our hearts".
Rest in peace mum and dad.

In Loving Memory/6th Anniversary



Mr John Munge Gaithuma

Baba witu, today 6 years ago, God saw you getting tired, and a cure was not to be. So
he put his arms around you and whispered "come to me". With tearful eyes we watched
you fade away. Though we loved you dearly we could not make you stay.

A golden heart stopped beating, two smiling eyes and hard working hands at rest. God
broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best. Looking back with tender
memories, upon the path you trod, we thank the Lord for the years we had with you,
and leave the rest to Him. You left us peaceful memories, Your love is still our guide and
though we cannot see you, we feel you by our side.

Our family chain was broken and nothing seems the same. But as God calls us one by one,
the chain will link again. Your nature was loving and giving, your heart was made of gold.
And to us your children, grand children and great grand children, who truly love and miss
you, your memories will never, grow old.

May God grant you **Eternal Rest**,
as you used to tell us "*itikomaga ciothe*"

AN APPRECIATION

DR. TONY WARURI GITHUKU ('TG') – REST IN PEACE

‘Gratitude is the memory of the heart’ - J B Massieu-



The entire family of the late Dr Anthony Waruri Githuku
(TG) would like to take this opportunity to thank all
those who made the final journey of our beloved TG a
fitting and special one. Following his passing on July 27th,
2014, family and friends selflessly assembled with alacrity
and coordinated a funeral that blew us away and turned
what could have been a sad farewell to one filled with an
abundance of God's love.

We wish to thank the doctors and nurses at the
Donald Gordon Hospital in Johannesburg and
in particular Dr John Devar whose compassion
touched us deeply. We wish to thank Hatfield
Christian Centre in Pretoria for hosting a special
farewell service. We are thankful to Bunson
Travel-Carlson Wagonlit for coordinating all
transfers; Lee Funeral Home for receiving us
when we arrived from South Africa; Evergreen
PCEA for the service in Runda; All Saints
Cathedral and Nairobi Chapel for hosting the final memorial
service in Nairobi and PCEA Ngunguru, Kamatu- Nyeri
for leading the burial service.

The support we received was boundless in several ways and
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Friends and family put their work and busy schedules aside
to support and comfort us. Many travelled from all corners
of the world to be with us. Several came to our homes to
condole with us. People offered financial and material
support. Others gave their time, while several worked
tirelessly and quietly in committees that were exemplary in
their effectiveness. The flowing demonstrations of kindness
and thoughtfulness have comforted us greatly
and continue to give us pause.

We wish to extend our gratitude to the Ministry
of Water, Environment and Natural Resources;
the Ministry of Devolution and Planning; The
Ministry of Transport; Muthaiga Golf Club,
UAP Insurance, the Coca-Cola Company, KCB,
Fintech, EFT, Jamii Bora Bank, Centum, Kenya
Red Cross and all who supported us in word and
deed.

While we prayed hard for a marathon, TG ran a sprint as he
completed his earthly work.

His life was full of purpose. He is gone but he will never be
forgotten.

Thank you all for supporting us in sending him on with
grace.

“The Lord Gives, The Lord Takes Away. Blessed Be The Name Of The Lord.”

1st Anniversary

We thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new.
We thought about you yesterday and days before that too.
We think of you in silence and we often speak your name.
All we have now are memories and your picture in a frame.
Your memories is our keep sake with which we'll never part.
God has you in his keeping, we have you in our hearts.



**Zack Samuel
Abudho**

12th March 1975- 15th Aug 2013

We thank the almighty God for endowing us courage and strength to endure the pain and emptiness of losing you and for the loving moments that we shared together. The time you were with us will always be cherished and remembered for your love. Greatly missed by your Wife: Janet Kwanya Abudho, Dad: Dedan O. Abudho, Mum: Sitah Onyera Abudho, Sisters: Agness, Pauline and Merab, Brother Johnstone Kennedy, relatives and friends.
There will be a memorial service to celebrate his life at his house on 16th August 2014.

The righteous perish, and no one ponders it in his heart, devout men are taken away, and no one understands that the righteous are taken away to be spared from evil. Those who walk uprightly enter into peace; they find rest as they lie in death. Isaiah 57:1-2.

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the passing on of Mrs. Rebecca Waguthi Rukwaro on 11th August 2014 after short sickness. Wife of the late Joel Rukwaro.



**Rebecca Waguthi
Rukwaro**

Mother of the late George, Grace, Late Rhoda, Monica, Hosea, Late Paul, Mary and late Hannah. Grandmother of Janet, Nguyo, Kenneth, Ian and grace among others. Great grandmother of Michael, grace and Wambui among others.

Family and friends are meeting for prayers and final arrangements at her home in Chaka, Kiganjo. Funeral service will be held on Tuesday 19th August 2014 at the graveside at Chaka village, Kiganjo, Nyeri.

Our mum, our grandma, our great grandma you lived a great life, you won the race.

Appreciation

Mwalimu James Omanwa Masaki

We the family of the late Mwalimu James Omanwa Masaki wish to express our sincere and heartfelt appreciation to our relatives, friends, neighbours and all well wishers who supported us following his passing on through a tragic road accident on 20/07/2014.

Your prayers, moral support and financial assistance received really strengthened us during those trying and difficult moments.

Special thanks to the Nyamira County Govt. led by His Exc. John Obiero Nyagarama, Area MP. Hon. James Gesami, Nyamira MCA's, presiding Pastor Dr. Thomas Nyakundi, both funeral committees in Nairobi led by Andrew Bwoma and in Nyamira led by Joseph Amwoma.

Our sincere thanks to the funeral service secretariat led by Justice David Maraga, Nyamira KNUT branch, Abagusii Cultural Dev. Council of Elders, Nyamira Central SDA Church Choir, KTDa fraternity, Nyamira and Kisii Business Communities, West Kenya CDF fraternity and all those who participated in one way or another.

Since it is not possible to mention everybody by name, kindly accept this message as an appreciation for your support.

"Eternal rest grant to him Oh Lord"

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the promotion to glory of Francis Thinwa Kabuku on 11th August 2014 formerly of Wakulima Market Nairobi.

Son of the late Kabuku and Wakaguyu. Husband of Esther Wahu and the late Zephaniah Wanjia. Father of Jane Wangui and Solomon, Peter Mwangi and Grace, James Murimi and Esther, Joseph Kabuku and Wangui, Nancy Wangari and Muiruri, Samuel Karanja and Jane, Joseph Kamaru, Mercy Wambui and Maina, Teresa Wamutira, Gladys Wamaitha and Francis, Lucy Wandia and Ndung'u, Agnes Wambui and Michael. Brother of the late Erastus Kamaru, Mary Wambui and Njiriku. Uncle and Grandfather of many.

Friends and relatives are meeting daily at his residence at Mathia village and Mang' hotel Nairobi starting 4 pm. The cortege leaves Jamii hospital mortuary Karatina on Tuesday 19th August 2014 at 9am. Burial service at his home in Mathia village, Kianga sub location, Kirinyaga County, near Ndima tea factory at 11.00 am



**Francis Thinwa
Kabuku**

Loved ones never die; they leave behind a legacy in our hearts that lasts forever

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the sudden death of Ms Agnes Waithera Wanjiku which occurred on 11/8/2014 after a short illness. Daughter of Mrs Hannah Wanjiku Ng'ang'a. Sister of John Ng'ang'a Wanjiku and Eric Kihereko Wanjiku. Sister-in-law of Lucy Wanjiru. Aunt of Eric Kihereko Jr and Lillian Wanjiku.



**Agnes Waithera
Wanjiku**

Family members and friends are meeting at her home in Rungiri, Kiambu County and her work place at Kariakor Market in Hide away Bar.

The cortege leaves Kenyatta National Hospital funeral Home on Tuesday 18th August 2014 at 8.00 a.m. Thereafter funeral and burial service at her home in Rungiri Village, Muthiga Sub-Location, Kiambu County.

In God's hands You rest, in Our hearts you live forever.

Promotion to Glory

It is with deep sorrow and regret that we announce the death of Gloria Wangu Kahiga who died while undergoing in patient treatment at Jocham Hospital, Msa. Beloved daughter of Charles Kahiga (of Hunters hotel) and Mary Consolata Wanjiru Kahiga. Loving mother of Sarah Gathoni.



**Gloria Wangu
Kahiga**
29/5/1969-10/8/2014

Dear sister of late Dominic, Margaret Kahiga (of Lumatete Muchai & Co Adv), Anne, late Josephine, late Peter, Flora, Lucy and John Mburu Jr. Niece of John Mburu (Hunters Shipchangers, Msa), Ann Gachie, Gachie, Onesmus amongst others. Cousin of Margaret Kahiga-Gitau (A.A.R. Msa), G.Kahiga (M.I.A Msa), Dominic, Abraham and Margaret (All of Hunters Shipchangers), Gikang'a amongst others. Loving aunt of Amina, Yusuf, MaryC, Mary Stahlenburg amongst others.

There will be a mini harambee in aid of funeral arrangements on Tuesday 19th August 2014 from 6:00pm at Hunters Hotel (next to Makuli Fagia Club) Sparki along Jomo Kenyatta Ave. Family, well-wishers and friends are meeting daily at Hunters Hotel from 6pm. Burial date will be announced later.

"God has plucked a beautiful flower from his garden. Praised be his name!"

Celebration Of A Life Well Lived

It is with deep sorrow and acceptance of God's will that we announce the passing on to Glory of Mrs. Loise Mukamweu Kathuka Nzioka on August 4th 2014. She was wife of the late Major General Joseph Kathuka Nzioka. She was the daughter of the late Kivungi Ngaiya & the late Esther Kalekye Kivungi (of the Mukuthi family, Koma Village).

A Loving mother of Lawrence Muisyo Kathuka, Mrs Agnes Nthenya Kikwai, the late Henry Kimeu Kathuka, Richard Itumo Kathuka (Chicago, USA), Julius Musyoki Nzioka, the late Muthama Kathuka, Victoria Mueni Nzioka, the late John Nzioka Kathuka and step mother of Pascal Mutuku Kathuka. She was grandmother of Justine Mbese (USA), Henry Kimeu (Locust grill, NBI), Timothy Muisyo, Jackline Chebet (formerly Airtel, Kenya), Loice Chepchumba (USA), Raymond Kikwai, Rebecca Kikwai, Phyllis Kalekye (USA), the late Joseph Nzioka Kathuka (former Captain Mwenge FC), Monique Joseph (USA), Muthama Musyoki (USA), Jojo Musyoki (USA), David Musyoki, Nzioka Musyoki, Sophie Gulavic, Brenda Syombua and Richard Muthama. Great grandmother to nine.

She was sister of John Kitaka Kivungi, Mrs. Lydia Ndunge Kilonzo, David Ndolo (Mombasa), Mrs. Bertha Mutuku Kisini and the late Cosmas Kivungi. Sister-in-law of the late Paul Wambua Nzioka, late Phoebe Kikummu, late Timothy Nzioka, Tabitha Nzeki, late Ruth Munyiva, late Patricia Nthambi, Isaac Nzyoka, John Mulli Nzioka, Stephen Kivindu, Nicholas Itumo among others. Mother in law of Hon. William Kikwai (Kericho), Betty Muisyo, Juliet Musyoki, Carol Mwikali. Co-wife of Martina Mueni Nzioka.

The Cortege will leave Umash Funeral Home on Tuesday, August 19th 2014 at 7.00am for the funeral service and laying to rest at her Kangundo home, Isinga Village.

Fund raising will be held at her Kangundo Home - Sunday 17/08/2014 from 2pm.

"Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day. Unseen, unheard, but always near, Still loved, still missed and forever dear. Rest in eternal peace Mwaitu."



**Loise Mukamweu
Kathuka Nzioka**



Kenya Forestry Research Institute

Death and Funeral Announcement

The Kefri Management regrets to announce the sudden death of Enos Matura Situbi of KEFRI Londiani Rift Valley Eco Region Research Programme who passed on at St. Joseph's Nursing Home Hospital Molo on 6th August 2014 after a short illness.

Son of the late Mzee Situbi Matula of Mautuma Ivona, husband of Phaniec Kageha, brother of Herbert Atetwe Situbi of Mautuma Ivona, Joyce Salago of Mukuyu, Joash Situbi of KEFRI Turbo, Sophia Githei of Turbo, Milton Obote Esitubi of KEFRI headquarters Muguga and Charles Situbi of Ivona. Father of Isaac Aganya of Nairobi, Elizabeth Nyangweso, Bernard Mbovo of Molo, Mildred Kaleka, Shadrack Masuti, Alice Muhonja and Celestine.

Family members and relatives are meeting daily at his residential house Londiani estate for burial arrangements.

The body will leave St. Joseph's Hospital Mortuary on Thursday 15th August 2014 for burial at his ancestral home Ivona Village Mautuma in Lugari of Kakamega County on Saturday 16th August 2014.

May the Lord rest his soul in eternal peace.



**Enos Matura
Situbi**



Nairobi School

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

It is with deep sorrow and humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the death of Mwalimu Elias Kanyi Iregi of Nairobi School, which occurred on 11/8/2014. He hailed from Thangathi Village, Mukurwe-ini Division, Nyeri County.

Son of the late Mr & Mrs Stanley Kanyi. Beloved husband of Grace Wanjiku Kanyi of Nairobi School. Brother of Joseph Wanguku, David Mureithi, Patrick Warui, Wilson Kimiti, the late Daniel Mwangi, John Nduati, Antony Wanjau, Mary Wangari Kimondo and Esther Muthoni.

Friends and relatives are meeting daily at Ebony Meeting Chambers 2nd Floor; Room No. 5, at Nairobi School Chaplaincy Centre and at his father's home at Mukurwe-ini starting at 5.00 p.m for prayers and burial arrangements. There will be a Requiem Mass on Monday 18th August 2014 at 12.00 noon at Nairobi School Chapel.

The cortege leaves Kenyatta University Mortuary on Tuesday 19/8/2014 at 8.00 a.m. Burial will take place at his father's home in Thangathi Village the same day at 10.00a.m.

In God's hands you rest in our hearts you remain.



**Mwalimu Elias
Kanyi Iregi**
1960 - 2014

Death & Funeral Announcement

Jaswant S. Sihra
(Born 8th April 1934 - Kericho)
(Died On 11th August 2014 - Delhi, India)

It is with deep regret that we announce the untimely demise of Mr. Jaswant S. Sihra. Husband of (Late Balbir K. Sihra) & Surinder K. Sihra. Father of Manjeet K. Roopra, Pinky Bhogal, Kamaljeet & Kulvinder Sihra (Sunny) of M/s. Specialized Aluminium Renovators Ltd (SARL). Father in law of Nirmal S. Roopra, Jaswinder S. Bhogal, Mandeep & Manjeet Sihra. Grandfather of Angad & Amrita Roopra, Kavan & Harman Bhogal, Pavraj, Harveen, Gurveen, Jasraj, Agam, & Rhea Sihra and great grandfather of Nirmaan S. Roopra.

The cortege will leave Sihra & Roopra residence, 161 Thego Road, off Kaptagat Road, Loresho on Saturday 16th August 2014 at 11:00am, via Ramgharia Sikh Temple Pangani. Thereafter, the cremation ceremony will take place at 12:00noon at the Hindu crematorium -Kariakor.

May Waheguru Ji Rest his soul in eternal peace.

"Always on our mind, forever in our hearts"

Franciscan Sisters of St. Anna Promotion To Glory

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the death of Rev. Sr. Sarah Aludo of Homa Bay Diocese - Tonga Parish, which occurred on 6/08/2014 after a long battle with cancer.

Daughter of the Late Kilion Otieno and Mama Teresa Akomo of Uterere Village, Homa Bay County. Sister of Vincent Ogweno, Peter Nyaura, Josephat Obenge, Michael Amisi, William Kisima, Julita Ikhanu and Jane Opinde. She was a member of Franciscan Sisters of Saint Anna - Lwak.

The cortege leaves St. Monica Hospital Mortuary on Sunday 17/08/2014 for a requiem mass at St. Theresa's Cathedral Kibuye at 3.00pm thereafter the body will leave for Lwak Mother House for an overnight vigil at St. Peter Clever Parish Church - Lwak.

She will be laid to rest on Monday 18/08/2014 at the Cemetery of the Franciscan Sisters of St. Anna.

Rest in peace dear Sister, we loved you but God loved you most. It is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Bye, Oriti, kwaheri, Nyar Oganda, Nyongochi, Maende, Katonda ekurinde omwana owa a wa awasuba!! Pray for our congregation.



Rev. Sr. Sarah Aludo

7/02/1955-6/8/2014

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the passing on of Fredrick Kithinji Muchiri of Igwanjau, Maara Sub-County Tharaka Nithi County on 11th August 2014 at Chogoria Hospital. Husband of Tabitha Mukwanjeru of Igwanjau. Son of the late Solomon Muchiri and Faith Jiamundi. Son-in-law of the late Rakeli, Ukima, Eunice and Naaman Mugwika. Brother of Kamunde, Ntue and Lucy Mwili. Brother-in-law of the late (Rtd) Major Mugambi, ACP (Rtd) Hellen Mukwanjeru, Zipporah Mpungu, Grace Wanja, George Nyagah (CID Hqs) and Kellen Kamunde among others. Father of Dickson N. Kithinji (Co-operative Commissioner Marsabit County), Rachel Macharia Canada, Professor Wanja Gitari (Toronto Canada), Alex Kimathi (Nairobi-Serena), Clement Mawira (Rwanda) and Jasper Munene (Nakuru). Father-in-law of Aileen Nyagah (Kauai School), Gitari Mbabu (USA), Frida Kimathi (Nation Media). Grandfather of George Joy Christopher, Ciru Mike Nyawira, Kelvin, Bryan, Nkatha and Mwenda. Great grandfather of Makena. Family members, relatives and friends are meeting daily at his home Kaguma (Igwanjau) for burial arrangement from 4pm. The cortege will leave Chogoria Hospital Mortuary on Tuesday 19th August at 9.00am. For funeral service at his home Kaguma Village Kirumi Sub-location Maara Tharaka Nithi County.

Dad you have fought a good fight, you have finished the race and kept the faith



Fredrick Kithinji Muchiri

1934 - 2014

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

It is in humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the passing on of Mama Truphosa Namiba Nganyi on Thu 7/8/14 at Eldoret Hospital.

She was the wife of the late Paul Nganyi Liboyi and daughter of the late Aswa Amawua and the late Sophia Makosolo. Mother to John Liboyi, the late Omuronji, the late Tom Ingari, Dr. Eric Oyondi, Phillister Atemba Siwa, Walter Nganyi, Fredrick Omukunda and Michael Nganyi. Foster mother to Mary Muyale Mang'ale, Esther Mukabane Bukachi, Gertrude Sungu Kutsushi and Marolyne Esery Okou. Mother-in-law to Vera, Nelly, the late Judy, Rose, Jacqueline, Isabel, Khayosa and Pamela. Aunt to Evelyn Owano Mwakha and many others. She is survived by many grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a pastor in Eshirali District (Eshikweng'u), Kisa Area of Church of God in East Africa.



Truphosa Namiba Nganyi

1931 - 7/8/2014

Friends and relatives are meeting daily; at Garden Square, Nairobi and Sirikwa Hotel Eldoret, from 5:30-7:30pm. Major Harambees will be held at All Saints Cathedral Nairobi on Tuesday 19/8/14 6pm, Wednesday 20/8/14 6pm, at Sirikwa Hotel, Eldoret and at the Nganyi Home, Eshirali, Khwisero Sub-County, Kakamega County.

The cortege leaves Eldoret Hospital Mortuary Thursday 21/8/14 8:30am for a funeral service at Church of God (CoG) Eldoret. The body will then proceed home. The second funeral service will be held on Friday 22/8/14 10am @ CoG Eshirali and Speeches at 7pm @ the Home. The final service will then take place at her home Saturday 23/8/14 9 am and burial thereafter @ 2pm.

You fought a good fight Mama, rest in peace

Appreciation

We, the family of the late Paul Mugo Kihuba would like to express our most sincere gratitude and appreciation for the support and love received from all our relatives, friends and well wishers following the demise of our Beloved Paul Mugo Kihuba.

We acknowledge with thanks your kind messages of sympathy, personal visits, generous contributions, spiritual support and company during Mugo's final journey. We remain touched and comforted by your kind gesture. *Asante sana.* We particularly wish to thank Dr. Rishad of Mombasa Hospital and Dr. Wala of Aga Khan Plaza, Dr. Ngigi and Dr. Moturi of KNH, Dr. Grace & Nurses of Coptic Hospital Dialysis. Special Thanks to Fr. Pius of Kiambeni Catholic Church, Fr. Salema of Don Bosco Upperhill Nairobi, Fr. Thuo & Fr. Robert of Kahiraini Catholic Church, Fr. Ezekiel & Fr. Komu, Pastor: Anataka Mugenyi of CITAM Karen for Prayers of encouragement.

Special thanks to Mr. Gathua Ndegwa for being there for Mugo through the difficult times. To Organising Committees, Marura Ikumi, Ranex, Progressive, Railway Annex Staff & Friends of Mugo in Mombasa, Nairobi and Gatunai Committees, thank you so much for being there with the Family of Mugo. We cannot forget to thank all those who in one way or other went out of their way to participate by way of Prayer, Contribution and Kind. May our Loving God provide for you as per your needs. Since it's not possible to thank each one of you individually, kindly accept this message as an expression of our deepest gratitude. With his humor and energy Mugo contributed to the lives of many. He was generous, witty, energetic and dynamic. How we loved him!

We thank God for the years he granted Mugo to be with us. We are looking forward to seeing him again in Heavenly Glory.



Paul Mugo Kihuba

1st Anniversary

It has been a year since you passed away and your family and friends miss you.

You are a reminder of love, guidance and diligence to your family; and honesty, fairness, kindness and mercy to all.

We appreciate the grace you showed us and pray for your peace and happiness with God.

Your family celebrates you and thanks all who bid you farewell for their support and company.

You will always be our dad, our guide, our love.



Walter Nyarima Ndolo

16/7/1963 to 14/6/2013

Death and Funeral Announcement

We the family, in acceptance of God's will, announce the passing on to glory of Alice Nyiva Musyoka on 11th August, 2014.

Beloved daughter of Mwili Kyatha and Martha Ndunge (Syonthuka). Loving wife of late Henry Musyoka Muli. Mother of late Richard, Charles, Jimmy, late Florence, Jane, Agnes, late Bahati and Kaunda. Sister of Kaveso, Munyao, Mukuni, Mutua and Syowai. Mother in law of late Christine, Anne, Georgina and Susan. Grand mother of Thomas, late Wambua, Bahati, Maithya, Emma, Eric, Irene, Charlie, Dennis, Emily, Rogers, Derrick, Sandra, Marsha and Louisa. She was great grand mother of many.

Relatives and friends are meeting daily from 5pm for prayers and funeral arrangements at their Madaraka Estate residence MF 29.

The cortege leaves Montezuma Funeral home on Wednesday 20th August at 8am for burial at her rural home, Tawa - Mbooni.

'In Life we loved you and in death we cherish your memories'



Alice Nyiva Musyoka

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the death of Sally Opisa Edebe, which occurred on Monday 11th August after a short illness at Kenyatta Hospital. Wife of Robert Namwamba. Daughter of Susan Edebe and Aggrey Jamwaka. Sister of Olivia muhadia, Colette Jamwaka, Leon Jamwaka, Robyn Jamwaka, Myles Jamwaka and Winnie Opisa. Aunt, niece, cousin and grand daughter of many.

Friends and relatives are meeting at Antonios grill behind holy family basilica at 5pm and at her parents home in Matasia.

There will be a fundraising on Monday 18th August 2014 at Antonios grill from 5pm to cater for hospital and funeral expenses.

There will be a grave side service to be held at langata cemetery on 20th August 2014 beginning at 12 noon followed by the burial thereafter. For contributions send mpesa to 0725723718.



Sally Opisa Edebe

Death and Funeral Announcement



Francis Cheruiyot Kiplangat

The Management and Staff of National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF) regret to announce the demise of our beloved Francis Cheruiyot Kiplangat, formerly of NHIF Olenguruone Office that occurred on August, 11 2014.

He was the son of the late John Cheruiyot Towett and Anjelinah Cherono Towett. Husband of Mary Cheptoo Cheruiyot. Father of Priscah Chepkoech, Jackline Cherotich, Patricia Chepkemoi, Edwin Kibet, Naomi Chemutai and Milly Chepnetich. Brother of Peter Cheruiyot, late Charles Cheruiyot, late Stephen Cheruiyot, Joshua Cheruiyot, Kristine Rono, Margret Chemutai, Josephine Sanya and Regina Rotich.

The burial will take place tomorrow, Saturday 16th August 2014 in Olenguruone, Nakuru County.

May God rest his soul in eternal peace

Gone Too Soon

It is with humility and humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the death of Linda Njoki Nthiga of Embu Lions Primary school which occurred on 12th August 2014 at the Aga Khan University Hospital Nairobi after a 10 year vicious battle with leukemia.

She was the daughter of Mr Silas Nthiga of Admedia International Limited and Mrs Elizabeth Nthiga of Linda Fashions Centre Embu. Sister of the late Ian Murithi and Anita Karimi of Embu Lions Nursery School. Granddaughter of Mr and Mrs Kobuthi Mathanjuki and Mr and Mrs Elija Njoka.



Linda Njoki Nthiga

Friends and relatives are meeting daily for prayers and funeral preparations at Canaan Guest House, Embu town starting at 5:00 pm, Gacengi home starting 3:00pm and All Saints Cathedral Nairobi on Tuesday 19th August 2014 and Wednesday 20th August 2014 starting at 6:00pm.

The cortege leaves Gakwegori Funeral Home on Friday August 22, 2014 at 10:00 am for funeral service and burial at the family cemetery at Gacengi village, Kianjuki sub-location, Gaturi North Location, Embu North sub-county.

Fare thee well our dear Linda and may the perpetual light shine upon you

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

We announce the promotion to glory of Olivia Marigu Njagi on 10th August 2014 at Mater Hospital.

Daughter of the late Naaman Kamwaria and the late Priscilla Wathara. Beloved wife of late Julius Njagi, Mother of Dionesia Kimotho, Late Flora Njiru, Restituta Mwara (USA), Late Mary Njagi, Lydia Njagi, Catherine Karani, Late Daniel Kariuki, Dorothy Njeru, Beatrice Kimathi, Caroline Rutere, Lucy Ngugi, Kamwaria Njagi, Virginia Njagi (USA), Joyce Njagi, Grace Njagi and Jackline Njagi. Mother-in-law of John Kimotho, Late Clement Njiru, Njaria Mwara (USA), Zablon Karani, Njeru Kabuthi, Zakayo Mutea, Patrick Rutere, Evans Ngugi, Faith Kamwaria, and Mwaniki Muriuki. Auntie, grandmother and great grandmother of many. Sister of late Jacob Ngari, Silas Ndwiga, John Nyaga, step- sister of Rwamba, late Esther and Wanja.



Olivia Marigu Njagi

Family and friends are meeting daily at her home Karue Embu from 5:30pm. The cortege leaves Gakwegori Funeral Home Embu on Saturday 16/8/2014 at 8:30am for funeral service and burial at her home Karue, Embu.

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints" Psalms 116:15

In Loving Memory



Annie Muthoni Kiarie

Time has passed by seemingly effortlessly. The family has gone through each day at a time sharing the memories of joyous moments that used to be.

Life continues to be a circuitous journey. The family has been gratefully and gracefully enlarged.

We derive a lot of pride and comfort in the memories of yester-years as we cherish the blissful moments of the time! Like always you shall remain in our hearts till we meet you in Eternity.

You remain a lovely wife, a lovely mother, a lovely grandma, a lovely sister and relative and a lovely friend and associate.

God continue to look after you till we meet. God bless!

"Sow righteousness for yourselves, reap the fruit of unfailing love, and break up your unplowed ground; for it is time to seek the Lord, until he comes and showers his righteousness on you". Hosea 10:12

SPORT

ATHLETICS | Kenyan women shine in Marrakech

Golden Wanjiru walks into the history books

KDF athlete claims her fifth African walking title and fourth in a row to underline her dominance

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Female athletes shone bright for Kenya as Commonwealth Games champion Joyce Chepkirui and Grace Wanjiru swept to 10,000m and 20km victories at the Africa Championships that ended last night in Marrakech.

Fresh from winning the Club Games title in Glasgow, Chepkirui upheld her imperious form in 10,000m, clocking 32:45.27 to lift the continental title. She yet again beat two-time reigning World Cross Country champion Emily Chebet to silver in 32:45.28.

However, hopes by the Kenyans to replicate their Commonwealth Games podium sweep under Wednesday's hot night weather failed to materialise after the national champion Florence Kiplagat failed to start the race.

Her absence allowed Ethiopia's World silver medallist Belaynesh Oljira to take bronze medal four seconds behind the Kenyan duo who finished in similar fashion at the "Club" Games.

Then yesterday morning came the wonder lady from Kenya Defence Forces, Wanjiru, who tore her way to race walk history books to boast Kenya's medal tally.

The 35-year-old became the most successful race walker on the continent

after claiming her fifth African title and fourth in a row after crossing the finishing line at Grande Stade in 1:37.04, leading compatriot Emily Ngii to a 1-2 feat. Ngii timed 1:38.12 for silver.

Samuel Gathimba stunned many when he paced home for silver in men's walk race in 1:327.12 as the 2006 champion and 2012 silver medallist Kenya's David Kimutai sunk to fifth in Lebogang Shange from South Africa prevailed in 1:26.59.

Kenya was placed third in the log with 13 medals; four gold, four silver and five bronze behind leaders South Africa 9-5-2

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Medals won by Kenya at the Africa Championship by end of action on Wednesday night

1:37.04

Grace Wanjiru's winning time in the Africa Championship women's 20km walk

and Nigeria 7-6-5.

But Wednesday night also belonged to Fransisca Koki who broke Rose Tata Muya's 400m hurdles national record of 55.94seconds set at the 1991 All African Games, two years before Koki was born.

Oozing determination and speed, Koki put behind her Commonwealth Games disappointment to scale the hurdles in a new time of 55.93, as she finished second behind South Africa's Wenda Nel (55.76) in the semi-finals. Another Kenya's hurdler Florence Wasike wasn't so lucky after she finished fifth in her semi-final heat in 59.91. Nigerian Amaka Ogoegbunam won in 56.49.

tion of both youth and experience and will be out to blend both in search of success.

"We expect a good event tomorrow and I am sure the numbers will increase and it promises to be a cracking and very competitive event," Mulwa said. Kenya will rely on the experience of Paul Kimani, Wilson Anyumba, Jonathan Kungu and Alex Omondi all of whom have international experience.

However, Kenya will have to be wary of the threat carried by neighbours Uganda and Tanzania who have promised to make life difficult for the home side. Registration for championship will close today.

The draws for the competition will be held today evening. Hosts Kenya are all set to battle it out with karatekas from Uganda, Tanzania, Zambia and Malawi for top honours.

As of yesterday, 150 fighters had reg-

istered for the seniors event and 30 for the juniors and children category.

Kenya has entered 30 karatekas for the event.

According to organisers, based on the numbers that will have registered, the event will be divided into the senior categories, which will feature the brown and black belts as well as the juniors that will feature the coloured belts. Uganda and Tanzania are represented by 10 karatekas each.

FOOTBALL WOES

Sports Cabinet Secretary Hassan Wario promises action to rescue falling standards of the game. P.71

Diamond run attracts shining stars



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World's fastest man in marathon Geoffrey Mutai (*above*) and World Half Marathon champion Geoffrey Kipsang go head-to-head at the CPF Nairobi Diamond 10km run on Sunday.

Race technical director George Kariuki said the pair's entry adds to another mouth-watering ingredient to the rich field of 2,350 athletes that already has Leonard Komon, holder of both 10km and 15km records World records and World 25km record holder Dennis Kipruto Kimetto.

The 2003 world 5,000m champion Eliud Kipchoge, who won the 2013 Hamburg Marathon with a very fast finishing time of 2:05:30 on his debut over the race has entered the race that will be staged in Nairobi City streets starting at Uhuru Park.

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We expect fireworks with this kind of field and more athletes should confirm as we target 5,000 entries”

George Kariuki, Nairobi Diamond race director

What will make the race interesting is the introduction of real diamonds for the race winners apart from cash awards of Sh 250,000 for each of the men and women's first finishers.

Thanks to a donation of three diamonds closets from Brussels Diamonds League event organisers that were unveiled by Nairobi County Athletics Kenya chairman Barnabas Korir at a press briefing in Nairobi yesterday.

Mutai, who has won New York Marathon twice, boasts of the world fastest time in marathon from a course record 2:03:02 set at the 2011 Boston Marathon even though it was not ratified as a World Record owing to a sloppy course at the homestretch.

"We expect fireworks with this kind of field and more athletes should confirm as we target 5,000 entries," said Kariuki.

Former World marathon champion Douglas Wakihuri, former five times world cross country champion, former world 5,000m champion Benjamin Limo and 2008 Beijing Olympics 800m champion Wilfred Mbungei will also compete.

Uganda, Tanzania karatekas promise Kenya torrid time

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David Mulwa, the chief instructor of the Japan Karate Association/World Federation-Kenya (JKA/WF-K) has said pressure will be on the hosts to do well tomorrow when the East African Karate Championship takes place at the Safaricom Kasarani Stadium.

The Kenyan team has a combina-

ATHLETICS

Croatia's former world high jump champion Blanka Vlasic will miss the European Championship in Zurich due to a painful knee, her father and coach said yesterday.

CECAFA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

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Rwanda Police's victory against Banadir of Somalia in their Group C match in Kigali yesterday.

RUGBY

All Blacks zero on in record wins

World champions New Zealand are chasing a record-breaking 18th consecutive win while Australia wants to end their Bledisloe Cup misery tomorrow's Rugby Championship Test in Sydney. The New Zealanders, following a 36-13 victory over England in their last match, are equal with the 17-Test winning runs of the 1965-69 All Blacks and 1997-98 Springboks. The all-conquering Kiwis have not tasted defeat since going down to England in 2012.

CRICKET

Fired-up Pakistan rattle hosts Sri Lanka

Mahela Jayawardene scored four streaky runs in his last Test as Pakistan's bowlers dismantled Sri Lanka's first innings at the start of the second and final match in Colombo yesterday. The hosts, who won the toss and elected to bat on the easy-paced wicket, found runs hard to come by against the steady attack and plodded to 261-8 by stumps on the opening day at the Sinhalese Sports Club.

Big field at Barclays Golf Circuit opening leg eye limited grand finale slots



BY LARRY NGALA
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The 2014/2015 Barclays Bank Golf Circuit gets under way with the first leg at the par 73 Nakuru Golf Club course this weekend.

A field of 116 golfers drawn from the Central/Rift regional clubs of Nakuru, Njoro, Naivasha and the Great Rift Valley Golf Resort were set to battle it out for the slots available in the grand finale set early next year just before the Barclays Kenya Open at Karen.

The 18-hole stableford event is open

to both men and women with official handicaps where a number of prizes will also be at stake for those who will be emerge the winners.

Among the ladies who will be trying to capture some of the slots in the Karen-bound team include Nakuru's leading lady golfers Shiro Kaime (**pictured**) and Esther Karuga, Njoro's Clem Mulli, and Nancy Muhia.

Among the men favoured to feature in the prize list are the Great Rift Valley's Luther Kamau, home players Steve Mugunyu and Njuguna Njoka, and former captain Karinga Wambugu.

This year the series is targeting to

reach 2,800 amateurs golfers in 35 clubs in 14 venues in the country.

The top 20 players during the grand finale will qualify to play in the 2015 Barclays Kenya Open Pro-Am to be held just a day before the tee off of the open at Karen Country Club.

Local pros in the mix

This year Barclays has also included the local professionals in two of the 14 events.

Meanwhile over 100 players will join the local professionals in the third leg of the KCB Golf Tour at the Nyanza Golf Club Kisumu tomorrow.

The amateurs are drawn from

Nyanza, Kakamega, Mumias, Kisii, Kericho and as far away as Nandi Bears.

The pros, who are playing for Sh500,000, start their two rounds this morning from 9am.

Back in Nairobi, Vet Lab which was the venue of the Kabete Open last weekend, will host the Crown Teflon series while action continues in Machakos with the Rafiki Micro-Finance tournament.

Away in the Mount Kenya region, Nanyuki Sports Club will host the annual Njuri Ncheke tournament that has been sponsored this year by General Motors.

WEEKEND GOLF FIXTURES

Muthaiga
Today: Triad Foundation Golf Day; First tee am 9.30 S Kider, M Hellbach, J Mathu; 11.30 G Njithia, F Gikonyo, Dr. Mwangi, S Karobio; First tee pm E Kiarie, M Kahoya, N Kithe, C Kinuthia; 12.38 A Ekirapa, T Chege, P Miriti, K Bachia; 12.46 H Kariuki, S Otieno, I Mundia, P Kihor; 12.54 Constech Engineering x 4; 1.03 Lloyd Masika x 4; 1.10 D Kuchio, W Maiyani, C Ndungu, N Kamunge; 1.13 M Walumbi, G Njoroge, A Mwaniki, D Mistry; 1.26 K S Syan, B Mandere, E Kingori, P S Kalsi; 1.34 MGC x 4; 1.42 Saj Ceramics x 4 Tenth tee pm 12.30 J Gitoho, P Burugu, M Wambugu, E Mpenda; 12.38 E Muli, M Tairo, S Lutta, S Karsi;12.46 Ivory Consultand x 4; 12.54 Pan Africa Life x 4; 1.02 G Singh, M Bhachu, R Roopra, S Ghalay; 1.10 Dulux Paints x 4; 1.18 Gertrudes Children Hsp x 4; 1.26 V Rague, I Awuondo, I Githuthu, E Vitisia; 1.34 M Mbugua, D Gaitso, S Rukwaro, S Onyambo; Tomorrow; Muthaiga Ladies Open by South African Airways Ladies Medal Foursomes; First tee am 8.00 J B Nzibo/S Hwang, A Shaeffler/S Bhanji; 8.08 Y Wettstein/N Wettstein, K Mcliwaine/M Kanaiya; 8.16 R Koome/M Malonza, M Nyanchama/S Kanyererri; 8.24 S Macharia/T Oboth, M Cox/N Mungai; 8.32 K Gachaga/G Mucheru, N Kamugi/G Kibe; 8.40 L Karau/J Waweru, M Njoki/S Wanjiru; Tenth tee am 8.00 L Wangethi/S Kanyora, M Kalekye/S Njuguna; 8.08 F W Maina/L Maina, N Wafula/M Monari; 8.16 N Mugo/R Njeru, S Shah/R Shah; 8.24 S Mauladad/J Vohora, N Kairu/F Koki; 8.32 L Armitage/L Muhinga,W Rugu/I Wamoro; 8.40 J Ngure/M Wangai, M Wairimu/R Wainaina; Mixed Foursomes First tee pm 12.30 N Kariuki/J Munge, F W Maina/ S Muita; 12.38 I Wamora/J Kamau, C Macharia/ M Irungu; 12.46 F Gichuru/J Kimani, W Gitonga/D Ndungu; 12.54 N Kairu/D Ngugi, W Rugu/L Kimotho; 1.02 J Waweru/E Vitisia, A Shaeffler/B Orwako; 1.10 S Macharia/N Irungu, G Wafari/S Ndungu; 1.18 G Kibe/M Mutuma, R Wainaina/J Wainaina; 1.26 F Koki/D Duncanson, L Armitage/A Kiuna; 1.34 L Maina/Ano, M Maingi/O F Kibuna; 1.42 L Kamugi/Ano, M Cox/J W Wainaina; 1.50 J Koech/ Cheboson, T Oboth/K Mutai; Tenth tee pm 12.30 O Njagi/J Njagi, Y Wettstein/N Ngaruiya; 12.38 S Njuguna/A Mwangi, S Joe/D B Joe; 12.46 L Karau/K Bachia, M Kalekye/A Koech; 12.54 P Wangongu/G Wangongu, M Radnell/P Radnell; 1.02 E Njukia/M Mbuthia, N Mugo/J Mugo; 1.10 N Ngecu/J Gitonga, J Ngure/J Ondigo; 1.18 N Nderitu/C Kamandu, M Wairimu/G Kubwa; 1.26 M Wainaina/G Wainaina, M Wangai/M Mwangi; 1.34 K Gachaga/A Gachaga, K Mcliwaine/Mcliwaine; 1.42 N Mungai/J Kamau, S Mauladad/D Fisher; Sunday 18 holes medal First tee am 8.00 N Wafula, G Wafari, A Thompson; 8.08 K Gachaga, S Kanyererri, L Awiti; 8.16 S Njenga, Arc. Patel, L Kamugi; 8.24 M Wangari, M Maingi, M Njoki; 8.32 F W Maina, D Mukabi, N Mungai; 8.40 K Mcliwaine, M Monare, L Armitage; 8.48 M Kanaiya, F Gichuru, M Cox; 8.56 Wanjiru, M Nyamachama, S Macharia; 9.04 J Ngure, R Njeru, S M Tabiwe; 9.12 N Patel, A Vellekoop, S Hoare; 9.20 N Kariuki, S Mauladad, N Mugo; 9.28 J Wambugu, N Kairu, J Kariuki; 9.36 J Vohora, T Oboth, Y Wettstein; Tenth tee pm 8.00 J B Nzibo, I Wamoro, A Saminah; 8.08 R Musau, M Wairumu, S Bhanji; 8.16 C Kerubo, S Gathigia, A Awuor; 8.24 M Kalekye, G Dhall, W Dikkers; 8.32 J Wokabi, W

Rugu, Arm. Patel; 8.40 P Wangongu, N Wettstein, E Desouza; 8.48 S W Muraguri, S Loveday, S Madhani; 8.56 R Shah, M Wambugu, O Njagi; 9.04 M Sharma, W Gitonga, R Wainaina.

Railway
Tomorrow: Championship Round; 7.00 S. Mbithi, J Katere, N. Kamau, N. Mikala; 7.08 P.E; 7.16 P.E; 7.24 P.E; 7.32 J.W. Ngamau, E.G. Wachira, Ano; 7.40 P.E; 7.48 P.E; 7.56 G. Muraguri, Dr. P. Karani, D.G. Muchungu, K. Abonyo 8.04 P.E; 8.12 P.E. 8.20 G. Ngacha, K.S. Padam, P. Kabiaru, R. Soin; 8.28 J.W Kung'u, G. S. Padam, N.N. Njoroge 11.00 P.E.; 11.08 K.D Mbatia, H. Kiarie, A.N.O; 11.16 J. Gituma, T.K Mbugua, P.J.G Karanja, A.N.O; 11.24 P.E.; 11.32 D.M Kahoro, N. Nathan, Ano; 11.40 P.E.; 11.48 J.K Ngetich, C. Ojiambo, T. Indimuli; 11.56 Dr. N. Gichuhi, E. Kerich, P.N Majau, P. Matemo; 12.04 Ano, Ano, N.O Wabwire, A. Kimani; 12.12 S. Onyambu, J. Mugo, A. Nandwa, R. N. Njoroge; 12.20 B. Dawa, C. K. Kositany, P. Orawo, A. N. Omooria 12.28 N. Njuguna, F. Makala, P. Kombe, E Murungi; 12.36 K. Saiti, A. Muhoro, E. Muchai, J . Mungai; 12.44 F. Ombura, S. Karemu, J. Mandavia, Pro F Kamau; 12.52 K. Mburu, Dr. J Karanja, G. Gichuki, E Otieno; 1.00Dr. S Onyango, J. Kaindi, A. Mwaura, J Murungi; 1.08E. G Runo, J. Karuga, M. Mbogua, K Rintaungu; 1.16 P.E, 1.24 J. Kioko, J. Kitulu, J. Kimondo; 1.32 P.E.

Ruiri
Tomorrow: Ladies Medal; 7:00 First Tee; A.Muhindi, L.Ng'ang'a, John G, L.Gachara ;7:16 N.Ngone, G.Itegi, J.N.Wanyoike, K.Kimenju ; 7:24 A.Waweru, P.Rugu, Eng.Mwaniiki, Pauline M; 7:32; J.Wanyanga, C.Kiyukia, P.Mutegi ,L.Mwangi; 7:40 A.K.Ndungu, Jimm K, J.Jenkins, P.Ndikwe; 7:48 S.Waititu, J.Kanari, Dr.Karienyne, C.Kiai; 7:54; G.Muthwale, N.Githae, S.Warui, I.Wamoro; 8:02 J.Muraguri, B.Kanyi, B.Ndungu, Rev.Karanja; 8:10 D.Marshal, P.Smith ,Col.Matu, Col.Karani; 8:18 P.Muraguri, Brig.Muhamed, E.K.Mwaura, S.Gathathi; 8:26C.N.Nduati, Fr.Mwaura, K.Muchiri, Joel Mburu ; 8:34 J.Boro, M.Kinuthia, M.Waweru, W.Ikinu; 8:42 E.Karanja, D.Mbugua, P.Nguayi, G.Githinji; 8:50 M. Kamau, C.Kiai, W.Rugu , Dr.Kamau; 8:58 Kiambu x 4 9:06 F.Njuguna, S.Kanyora, N.Mwaura, P.Mburu; 9:14P.Ruku, M.Mbugua, S.Patel ; 4; 9:30 P.Nguigi, P.Kiarie, E.Karanja, Z.Muigai; 9:38 S.Kinyanjui,K.Ndungu, S.Ndungu, J Mburu; 9:46 W.Njenga, J.Ndungu, P.Nduati, M.Gitonyi; 10:04 Nyeri X 4; 10:12 Prof.Nganga, W.Njenga, J.Gakuya, R.Mwaura; 10:20 S.K.Wahome, F.M.Kaharuka, M.Kamau, K.Chege 10: 28 P.Kamau, J.Muratha, P.Kanyinya, M.Patel; 10:36 J G Mwangi, M.N.Kinuthia, Dr.Wangwe, Eng.Makau 10:44 10th Tee P Mararo, P.Gaitara, F.Munyua, T.Kinuthia; 10:52 Prof G.Kenji, D.Njogu, E. Karanja, S.Gwandaru; 11:00 P.Kigwe, Railway, G.Karobia, Railway; 11:08 A.Mwangi, G.Kihui, Isaac Githinji , C. Mwangi;11:40 L.Njuguna, O.Mutahi, M.Kairu, J.Waitthaka; 11:56 P.Rugu, P.Ngige, Col.Githaiga, Dr. E.Ndungu; 12:04; S.Waititu, Dr.A.Nganga, J.N.Karanja ; 12:08 A.Kioi, A.Mwenja, Nyeri, E.Tenga;12:24; J.Reel, A.Reel, J.Wanyaga, M.Patel ; 12:32 P.Njoroge, J.G.

Kiambu
Tomorrow: Faulu Bank Golf Day; A.M: 7: 36 M. Gachugi, F. Gichomo, J. Ndihio (g); 7: 44 G.K. Muthua, R. Ngui, S.K. Ndegwa (g), J. Mukono; 7:52 F.K. Githaiga, W. Njenga,

J. Gatiko (g), G. Ndungu; 8:00 P. Mwai, F. Ngatia, C. Mugo, O.M. Gathara; 8:08 J. Kangethe x 4; 8:16 T. Kiiru, D. Kamau, S. Waweru, E. Kingara; 8:24 S.M. Kiarie, S.N. Mugwe, J.K. Muchai, J.R. Njenga; 8:32 A.M. Gakere, B. Njoroge, J. Kibugi, Ano; 8: 40 G.K. Muiruri, J.N. Kimotho, Ano, Ano; 8:48 J. Ngure x 4; 8:56 D.G. Njoroge, M. Karanga, A. Mwangi, G.K. Athiru(!); 9:04 J.K. Waweru x 4; PM: 11.36 B. Wainaina, S. Gwandaru, N. Mwangi, E.G. Kuria; 11.44 S. Karanja, P. Mworia, G. Warukira, Ano; 11.52 P. Kariuki, J. Karicho, G.R. Gichuki(g), Ano; 12.00 J. Ndegwa, R. Ngatia, F. Nderitu(!), P.N. Kamugi; 12.08 S.N. Kiara, M. Ngene, M. Makembi(g), Ano; 12.16 J. Njoroge(!), T. Juma (g), C. Kigiri (g), J. Kungu(g); 12.24 S.N. Kabundi, C. Njuguna (g), S.N. Mbugua, Ano; 12.32 Sponsor x 4; 12.40 Dr. P. Murumba, W.R. Njeru, Col. J. Githiri, Ano; 12:48 S. Wanjema x 4; 12:56 Faulu x 4; 1.04 Sponsors Guest x 4; 1.12 P.E x 4; 1:20 W. Kiarie x 4; 1.28 K. Mwaura, M. Nyaga, Ano, Ano; 1.36 P.E x 4; 1:44 P.E x 4.

Nanyuki
Tomorrow: Njuri Ncheke Golf Tournament Sponsored By General Motors East Africa Ltd: 8.00 Eng. S.K Ndegwa, B. Mathu, S. Njoroge; 8.10 T. Lindsay, D. Kinoti, R. Hames; 8.20 K. Kaburu, N. Butt, Gabriel Miungi; 8.30 N. Silah, D. Bunge, S. Haworth; 8.40 M. Kirimi, A. Rukwaro, J. Wainaina; 8.50 G. N. Kurutu, A. McConnell, H. Kurutu; 9.00 J. Muriungi, J. Muthurania, G.M; 9.10 K. Nderitu (G), V. Laibuni, D. McConnell; 9.20 G. M, S. Gichuru, M. Mutuma; 9.30 R. Kabugi, J. Gitonga, J. Ngugi (S); 9.40 W. Munyoro, G M, C. Mwaniki; 9.50 S. Muriuki, A. Muchiri, G. Mutulu (S); 10.00 C. Thinwa, R. King'ori, K. Shah; Pm Draw; 11.00 J. Mathai, C. Gikundi, Eng. J. Kinoti, Titch P. Carter; 11.10 J. B. Muinde, R. Chandaria, Rev. J. Kamere, S. M. Mutethia; 11.20 Hilda Mugure, Mercy M, Nain S, Joe Kibutu; 11.30 Dr. M. Mburu, J. Mutethia, Dr. B. Muthiora, N. Ndebu; 11.40 Pauline K, M. Gathu, H. S. Sappal, P. Muhaya (S); 11.50 J. Kilonzo (S), K. Nderitu (S), Stella M, F. M. Mathenge; 12.00 G. Kiguta, J. Gatonye, B.K. Inoti, Dr. S. Thuo; 12.10 Baldev S., Flo Gathu, V. Shah, P. Karubui; 12.20 L. Nganga (G), E. Karumwa, J. G. Iracha, Sajjad Butt; 12.30 N. Majau, P. Wahome(G), Michael Kinuthia (G), D. Wachira; 12.40 N. Gakiria, D. Shah, Fr. R. Kabuthi, B. K. Ngari; 12.50 P. Demello, Dr. A. B. Kariuki, E. N. Gatimu, Maj. Gen Waweru; 1.00 J. Githanda, Dr. A. Gatuma, J. Kirinyia, Maj. Gen. Rob; 1.10 S. W. N. Githitu, N. Desai, Dr. Somba, W. Gachoka; 1.20 Dr E. Mate, K. S. Hunjan, Ramdhan J, Luka Mwangi; 1.30 Eng. P. Musang, Eng. K. Mwirichia, M. M. Ndegwa, T. G. Mundia; 1.50 Ano, Ano, Ano, Ano. Post Entries Accepted. Report to starter by 11.00 Am.

Kitale
Tomorrow: Amos Bore Memorial Golf Day - First Tee; 8.00 N. Iyadi, Dr. R. Kiptum, W. Bett; 8.10 G.B. Rutto, P. Kae, J. Masis; 8.20 E. Weche, M. Arusei, C. Litamoto; 8.30 E. Mwei, V. Omwandho, R. Kae; 8.40 S. Malakwen, F. Muraya, H. Shah; 8.50 J.B. Chemogos, K. Kariuki, C. Chesire; 9.00 A. Kitur, J. Cheruiyot, E. Goes; 9.10 A. Chelogoi; M. Muge, Brig. M. Yator; 9.20 P.K. Koeh, M. Tanui, M. Litamoto; 9.30 P. Lochab, A. Birir, G.K. Cheruiyot; 9.40 M. Kimutai, S. Kirwa, E.M. Bore; 9.50 P. Shihars, C. Cheruiyot, C. Bore; 10.00 C. Yano, L. Kaptoge J. Mwangi; 10.10 R. Tanna J. Nzomo, D. Sangutei; 10.20 K.

Koskei, D. Saisi C. Muge; 10.30 G. Kinoti, Wamahiu, D. Limo; 10.40 A. Wainaina, M. Bett, A. Amlani; 10.50 N. Chesang, R. Shah, J. Wainaina, D. Muge; 11.00 M.K. Rotich, R. Nyamu, H.K. Rotich(m). Tenth Tee; 9.00 Isa Rutto, A. Babuh, B. Bett; 9.10 J. Kagema, R. Bett, J. Mahiti.

Machakos
Tomorrow: Rafiki Micro-finance Golf Day; 7.30 N.Macharia, M.Nderitu, M.Nzioka, M.Kilonzo; 7.40 H.Oranja, S.Karanja, P.Kombe, J.Kinoti 7.50 P.Mukuria, J.Murungi, F.Murimi, J.Kaindi 8.00 J.Nzau, C.N.Makau, Dr.Kamala, J.Nzioki;8.10J.Mangu, Eng.Kithimba, J.Kavivya, Gen.Munyao ; 8.20 C.Mulela, B.M.Mungata, S.G.Mangu, S.K.Theuri; 8.30 B.Okwaro, G.Karugu, Maj Mumo, D.K.K.Thiuri; 8.40P.Gachohi, M.Thieri, M.Githinji, T.James; 8.50J.Waweru, A.Muhindi, R.M.Mbithi, J.Nderitu ; 9.00 S.Waweru, K.Kahuthu, P.Kinyanjui, P.Muthee ; 9.10 C.Maina, M.Kariuki, M.Mbai, A.Muteru ; 9.20 V. Nduva, E. Runo, B. Kimeu, A.Maingi; 9.30 A.Gatoghi, F.K. Mwongera, S. Mumo, A. Kiiru; 9.40 , J.Ndunda,S.Singh, E.Okumu, E.Okiddy ; 9.50 R.Mumo, D. kivuva,C. Mule, M.Nzioka; 10.00 Golf Park x 4; 10.10 B. Mumina, S.Makau, J. Maalu, L. Ngala; 10.20 Col. Mbithi, P.Mbandi, A. Muhindi, J. Kiiti; 10.30 S. kona, E.Tenga, W. Mila, Dr. P. Mumo;10.40 J.Ndunda, C.Kaloki, J.Koli, C.Ndinge.; 10.50 KAF x 2, F.Njeru, J.Orora; 11.00 F. Kilonzi, H. Maingi, V. Mutwii, M. Katuku; 11.10 J.Mboya, V.Nduva, R.Nzioki, J.Orora; 11.20T.Musyoka, E.Ndung'u, J.Tuwe, J.Kilonzo;11.30 A.Mwanza, L.Wambua, F.Koki, M.Kitulu;11.40 J.Gashomba, N.Edwin, P.Gondi, S.Mbori; 11.50 J.Mulu, B.Kotonya, C.Ojiambo, J.Njihof; 12.00 J.Matei, J.maingi, L.M.Kamba, Dr.S.Musyoka; 12.10 A.Koli, S.Sharifi, J.Kioko, Gen. Musomba; 12.20 J. Ndunda, S. P. Bett, C. Nzuki, E. Musyoki; 12.30 Railway x 4; 12.40 B. Nyamongo, E. Wambua, V. Ndunda, W. Muvea; 1.20 Golf Park x 4; 12.50 A. Wambua, G. Ngumbi, T. Ruhui, J. Ngure; 1.00 M.Wandere, J.Maina, S.Kamau, P.Muindi; 1.10 P.Karama, C.Maina, M.Kavita, D.Salaton 1.20. G.Koeh, K.Juma, H.Owuor, S.Muriu; PE.

Sigona
Tomorrow: West lands Toyota Golf Day; First Tee P M;8.00 Mbuthia L, D'Souza I, Syan D, D'souza D; 8.08 Mbuthia J, Syan S, Rimal S; 8.24 D Gada; 8.16 Chege K (g), Njehia T (g), Ngaruiya G, Kabereere N (g); 8.24 Ayodo O (g), Butt T, Mungai N, Ndungu S; 8.32 A Suleman, Ajay P, Raniga R , Mulji N; 8.40 Mediratta D, Sahni T, Mediratta H, Mediratta R; 8.48 M N Njoroge, I Kahara, Kanja S , Mwanjiba Dr M, Mavani A, M V Patel; 8.48 Naveed N , Savla N, Mandeeep C; First Tee P M 11.36 Kinyanjui P(g), Mambo T (g), Theuri J (s), Benard K(g); 11.44 Robert M (S), Muthee P (g), Kevin L(g), Richter H(g); 11.52 Dhanjal M, Dr S R Patel, Karia R, Channa Ski; 12.00 Pindolia H, Nagib P, Jitu S, Mondo N; 12.08 Mukuria D, Wachira Z, Njui K, Marrie A; 12.16 Rhoda T M(g), Mwebesa N(g), Simba (g), Kihara C (g); 12.24 Rai K J, Manian S(g), Ganatra A, Badiani S; 12.32 Kamal S, Nikun J, P C Shah, Nitin G Fz; 12.40 Awale Y(g), Kimani W (g), Kabuga M (g), Gachagua F; 12.48 Navin

S, Sawan S, Ravi S,Merali J; 12.56 Bhatt S, Sanghani A, Hindocha C;1.04Kimurwa P(g), Kiguru P, Wangunyu S, Muchiru C (g); 1.12P Waweru, B M Njoroge, G G Nganga, D Awori (S); 1.20 Captains Time; 1.28 Nishith P, Vinay S, Bhakari R, Haria M; 1.36 Rach K, Mohindra A, Ladha A, Matharu A; 1.44 Gacheru S N, Vimal S, Esmail J, Bachu P; 1.52 Kirit R P, shamik P, Dr Acharya, Rajesh P; Tenth Tee P M 11.36 Koyier B(g), Kiengo D P (g), Kiengo N (g), Michelle Dr (g); 11.44 Kariuki T (g), Ongom M(g), Gichimu J, S Mburu; 11.52 Chege M W(s), Gikuru R(g), Kimotho E N(g), Suji F (s); 12.00 Wanjohi K (S), Karugu G(g), Mwirichia K(g), Gikundi C(g); 12.08 Watson B(g), Githithu E(g), Arvind P, Galib R; 12.16 Tejal S, Kibuku N, Muranga D, Chauhan K C; 12.24Kinyanjui C(s), Rugo E(g), Kuria G(g), Nduati C (g); 12.32Kositany C (g), Omoria A (g), Wambua L (g), Mungai M; 12.40 Nishit R S, Sehmi K, Nishwal S, K D Shah; 12.48 Ashit S, Lakhani H, Bipin S, Baiju S; 12.56 R K Shah, Virdii D S, Dodhia S, Sehmi H, 1.04 Y K Nagda, Mann V , Raval P, Mukuria O; 1.12 Mann H S , Bhachu D S, A D Shah, Sodha A; 1.20 Bhayani D, Merali W, Mayur S , Lalla A; 1.28 Dhanani P, Ongubo J, Shah P A , Sabo K; 1.36 Mukesh S, Assaria K, Naearn N , Brij P; 1.44 Assaria A, Jaffer I, Sujan S , Kibuku P; 1.52 Assaria Y, Dhanani J, S Raikundalia.

Vet Lab
Tomorrow: Crown Teflon Greensomes; First Tee; 8:02 A.Unia / Mohan Shah, J.Karing'u/ J.Mwangi; 8:10 C.Makau, J.Wangwe, I.Nyakwara/N.Hlrani; 8:18 J.Mwaura/ K.Kihanya, O.Mbatia/ Jack Mwangi; 8:26 E.Kalya/M.Kisia, M.N.Kanyiy/ B.Mandere; 8:34 Birju Shah/J.Orengue, F.Okaro/G.Owade; 11:30 Rohit Shah/ K.Bosire, J.Ndung'u/W.Wachanga; 11: 38 C.G.Munyor/J.G.Njenga, C.Ng'ang'a/ J.Wainaina; 11:54 P.N.Muiruri/W.Nadida, Ano/Ano; 12:02 J.Njau/P.Kang'ethe, B.N.Kamau/E.Mogoa; 12:10 P.Odimu/ E.Mudonge, M.Karano/M.Iraki; 12:18 N.Simwa/M.Kebara, R.Owiti/D.Situma; 12:26 K.Waweru / P.Okoth, D.Wahome/ C.Itangata; 12:34 S.K.Mwaura/B.Dawa, P.Wambugu/J.Kiengo; 12:42 A.Kale/ L.Njoroge, S.S.Riyat/R.Mangat; 12:58 M.Mbugua/P.Sinkira, P.Shah/J.Parmar; 1: 06 M.Makundi/S.Olekantai, H.D'souza/ M.Wanjihji; 1:22 K.G.Shah/Ardash Shah, I.Fazal/M.Manji; 1:30 Rmesh Rao / Ramesh Rao, Ramesh Rao/ Ramesh Rao 2: Tenth Tee; 8:02 P.Gondi/ A.Okeyo, S.Mbori/E.Nina; 8:18 K.Khmar/ Sahil Shah, S.Ndonga/E.Ndonga; 8:26 R.Munoru/R.Kiarie, J.Kiengo/G.King'au; 8:34 M.Mwangi/S.Gathigi, B.Sivadas/ N.Beltor; 11:30 J.Mureithi/M.Karobia, K.Mariga/D.Gitu; 11:38 B.Shah/M.Mugo, F.M.Macharia/R.Waitete; 11:46 N.Njogu/ J.Macharia, W.Githongo/A.Wahome; 12:02 T.Thanawalla/D.Mukabi, V.Tank/ P.M.Mbarathi; 12:10 M.Lemoshira/Irene Maina, J.Karuku/M.Karugu; 12:18 A.Jai/P.Jai, M.Githiaka/N.Ndiritu; 12: 26 E.Gardner/N.Imbugwa, M.Nanji/ A.Wahome; 12:34 M.Gorassia / H.Gorassia, S.Karobio/C.Kamunge; 12:58 A.Krishnan/ N.Krishnan, G.S.Mangat/A.Sura.

Nakuru
Tomorrow: Barclays Golf Series; first tee 7.00 S Kysto, S Kirui, N Nduati, M Karanja; 7.10 S Gichuki, S Matharu, N Muhia, Ano; 7.20 K Kamonjo, S Ndungu, R Gibendi, P Gathaji; 7.30 Z Fazel, S Kihumba, R Kimani, H Fazel; 8.00 J Odhiambo, L Omangi, K Karanja, R Wangui K; 8.30 Ali Rajab, Ali

Wazir, P. Mugo 8.50 D Kimathi, K Munge, Ano; 9.00 Hon.M. Kombo, H Rutembe, M Mugo, G Ketem; 9.10 S Kaime, K Muraya, P Muhia, M David; 9.30 Nyambura Gichoya, K Mbuthia, S Aidoo, Kenneth Bii; 9.40 R Kibet, Dr. M Mbathi, J Mberi, B Omondi; 9.50 A Wachira, J Gichinga, Njeri Gachie, M Mussaji; 10.00 P Matindi, Dr. M. Kariuki, K Wambugu, L Ngala; 10.10 P Kinyanjui, I Karanja, J Yego, M Wanjiku; 10.20 M Kandie, E Kibocha, P Mburu, N Githae; 10.30 P Nganga, Stanley Ngugi, S Bedi, D Hunjan; 10.40 L Kamau, M S Sahota, S Singh, E Karuga; 10.50 J Story, D N Ikua, J Munene, R Ndiritu; 11.00 W Burugu, P Ciano, J Gitau, S Ngugi; 11.10 M Kianja, G Virdee, J Smith, D Cheronno; 11.20 Z Ileri, Z Njeru, W Kariuki, K Kahuthu; 11.30 S Wachira, J Tuwei, J Kamau, Ibrahim Muchiri; 11.40 G Nganda, J Kimani, Njeri Kamatu, M Githiru; 11.50 M Muge, D Sangutei, Joseph Nganga, Nanice Gichinga; 12.00 A Nderitu, Kimani Gachohi, O Robert, C Mecha; 12.10 Zahid Mustafa, Yusuf Omari, G Karuga, Ano; 12.20 J G Mokaya, J K Ruttoth, Dr. D Walubengo, D Maingi; 12.30 S Mugunyu, S K Njoroge, P Kuria, S Njihia; 12.40 D Irimu, E K Gitau, S Irimu, Ano; 12.50 A Patel, K Morjaria, Ano, Ano; 1.00 J Raja, Dr. Malik, D Shah, P Shah; 1.10 Juma Arogo, Raymond Komen, Ano; tenth tee 7.00 F Kamonjo, M Kiruthi, MCheptumo.

Thika
Tomorrow: Spartans Golf Day; 7:04 P Karare, R Barton, A Macharia, J M Kany; 7:12 J Murithi, B Thiga, R Barton, C Nderitu;7:20 J W Gathuri, T Ochieng, B Omondi, B Mahui; 7:28 J Gachomba, J Kibe, Njunu S G K, K Chege;7:36 P Nganga, D Ndungu, Col J M Nganga, K Nderitu; 7:44 D Matano, M Kubai, K Wainaina, D K Ndekere; 7:52 M Waweru, J N Waweru, M Mburu, A Kuria; 8:00 R Ikenye, M Njuguna, G Ngamau, N Kithae; 8:08 M Kariuki, S.G.Njuguna, W.K.Kariuki, M Njuguna; 8:16 S P Gachanja, Mwangi P K, W Murwayi, E N Nyamu; 8:24 A Waweru, K Nderitu, R Kiai, C Kiai;8: 32 N Njoroge, Fr L Njoroge, P Kingori, N Maadili;8:40 J D H Meru, M Meru, K Guchu, C Nderitu;8:48 S Ndungu, P K Waweru, S K Ndungi, R Muthoni; 9:20 S Mwangi, S Ngugi, A Ngunu, J Mwenda; 9:28 M Gatonye , P Mukuria, M Gicheru, S Kinuthia; 9:32 E Ndenderu, M Kirika, W Mugo, A Mwenja; 9:40 I Ndungu, A Karimi, C Ikenye, Prof Ikenye; 10:08 D Mwangi, P Mwangi, P Mionki, W Ngugi; 10:16 F Wangombe, G Hiuu, S Kinyanjui, Dr E N Ndungu; 10:32 P M Ndungu, W Ngugi, K Wainaina, S Kamau; 10:40 J M Karanja, J Muratha, S G Maitho, S Kihanya; 10:48 S K Njuguna, J Mwenda , J.M.Thairoh, B Kangethe; 11:16 P Gaitara, M Nyaga , Fr Kirimi, S Mugwe; 11:24 J Kamau, P Mburugu, E N Chege, Dr I Charagu; 11: 32 D M Karuma, Eng J M Wakimani, L Ngamau, F N Thuo; 11:48 W Burugu, C Kinuthia, K Kiarie, B Mureithi; 12:08 G N Kimani, P K Waweru, A Kabucho, Dr. P Murumba; 12:16 W Mugho, G M Matu, M A Mohammed, A Muchoki; 12:32 N Njau, H S Rayat, J Suri, S Ngugi; 12:40 W Mwangi, Eng K Njoroge, A Kabucho, P Gakuu; 12:48 Prof A Karugu, L Gachire, J Karue, JN Mwaura; 13:08 S Mukiri, N Nganga, J M Ndungu, D Njogu; 13:16 B Mutua, A Mukiri, M Wainaina, E Mwangi;13:24 P Wainaina, J K Mbugua, M Gitonyi, N Njuguna; 13: 32 S Shah, K Shah, Sudhir Shah, N Hirania ;13:40 H Kurji, I Irungu, W Irungu, W Cook; 13:48 Dr Njoroge, P Ndumia, C Mwenda,Dr Githiori.



Police of Rwanda progress to quarters with perfect record

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Home team Police wrapped up their Cecafta Kagame Cup group matches with a hundred percent record following their 3-1 victory over Banadir of Somalia yesterday at Kigali

National Stadium, Nyamirambo. The Rwanda team finished on top of Group C with a maximum nine points from three matches. They beat El Merreikh of Sudan 1-0 in their opening match before stunning holders Vital'O of Burundi 3-1. In yesterday's contest, Police raced to a fourth minute lead

from Kipson Atuheire's goal before Moussa Mutuyimana doubled the lead eight minutes later. The home team scored the third goal with seventeen minutes left, this time Jacques Tiyisenge putting his name on the score sheet. Banadir's consolation goal was netted by Mustapha

Garba in the 71st minute. Earlier at the same venue, Ethiopia's Adamma shared the spoils with South Sudanese representatives Atlabara in match that ended 1-1. Atlabara went ahead in the 41st minute but Adamma left it late scoring the equalizer in the 82nd minute through Ayele Benyan.

CRUNCH TIME | Cecafta boss Musonye challenges K'Ogalo to show their true character



PHOTO | COURTESY
Gor Mahia midfielder Collins Okoth and KCCA forward Wadri William tumble to the ground after a colliding during their opening match at Amahoro Stadium.

Down but not out Gor face fight for survival in Kigali

Kenyan champions must beat APR today to keep alive slim hopes of advancing



BY ISAAC SWILA
in Kigali

Gor Mahia must beat Rwandan army side APR when the two teams clash this evening at the Kigali National Stadium, Nyamirambo in order to keep their slim hopes of reaching the quarter-finals of the Cecafta Club Championships alive. The Kenyan champions are staring elimination in

the face following straight losses in the two matches they have played so far in the tournament. Gor Mahia lost 1-2 to Uganda's KCCA and 0-1 to Atletico of Rwanda. But the club resolved at a dinner table on Wednesday night that they will do whatever it takes to remain in the competition. Cecafta secretary general Nicholas Musonye, who was also present, used the occasion to challenge the team to stand up and be counted. "I have travelled with you (Gor Mahia) across Africa since 1981. I covered many of your matches dur-

ing my time as a journalist and I know what you are capable of. I want to urge you to show your true character by winning the two matches," Musonye said. Calling the players by their names, the Cecafta boss particularly asked the team skipper Jerim Onyango to show leadership on the pitch. **Highly motivated** "Jerim, you are the captain. I want to see your leadership. You have to do it. Owino (David) I want to see goals and Kizito (Geoffrey) I want to see what you are capable of doing," he said before handing the players a cash token of \$1,000 (Sh87,000). An upbeat Jerim, who has so far been impressive between the goal posts said the team is highly motivated and ready for today's match. "We are okay. We have

no issues troubling us and we are focused on the match. We believe all is not lost and we can still progress to the quarters and go all the way to lift the title," Onyango told *Daily Nation Sport*. Coach Bobby Williamson will have a full squad to choose from with the exception of the exciting Ugandan left back Godfrey Walusimbi who did not feature in their last match owing to an infection. Either Kevin Oluoch or Kennedy Opiyo will be slotted in place of Walusimbi who also sat out in Wednesday's training session. "In the first game we could have been 2-0 up at some point. We need to give our best and there is no reason why we should not be up for it," Williamson said. Gor sit at the bottom of Group B with no point.

FIXTURES

Today

Atletico v Telecom 2pm

El-Merreikh v Vital'O 4pm

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All matches at Kigali National Stadium, Nyamirambo

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Adamma 1 Atlabara 1

Police 3 Banadir 1

Rayon Sports 1 KMKM 0

STANDINGS

Group A

	P	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	P
Rayon Sports	3	2	1	0	3	1	1	7
Azam	3	1	2	0	6	2	4	3
Atlabara	3	0	3	0	4	4	0	3
Adamma	3	0	2	1	3	4	-1	2
KMKM	4	0	2	2	2	7	-5	2

Group B

APR	2	2	0	0	2	0	2	6
KCCA	3	2	0	1	4	3	1	6
Telecom	2	1	0	1	2	2	0	3
Atletico	3	1	0	2	1	2	-1	3
Gor Mahia	2	0	0	2	1	3	-2	0

Group C

Police	3	3	0	0	7	2	5	9
El Merreikh	2	1	0	1	4	1	3	3
Vital 'O'	2	1	0	1	6	4	2	3

Bottom side All Stars hopeful of avoiding relegation

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Is time running out for Nakuru All Stars' in their quest to avoid relegation from the Kenya Premier League? The club's performance on their debut season in the top flight has been below par with the Nakuru outfit permanently rooted at the bottom of the table standings. With only eight matches remaining this season, the

Nakuru side is holding the wooden spoon with a return of 13 points from 21 matches. However, coach Peter Okidi remains optimistic that his charges still have a realistic chance of climbing off the relegation zone even with a potentially tough matches against bigwigs Sofapaka lined up at Afraha Stadium, Nakuru this afternoon. "We are not even entertain the thought of relegation. Looking at

the points difference between us and the team above us, I believe we have a chance of completing this season among the top ten team," Okidi said. Nakuru All Stars - which changed its name from Top Fry All Stars two months ago following the lapse of a sponsorship deal with Menengai Oil Refineries - will have to look back five months for inspiration ahead of the match against the 2009 champions. "We have beaten Gor Mahia this

season and so we have what it takes to compete with the top clubs. We just need to stay focused," teenage sensation John Ndirangu said. Sofapaka has meanwhile blown hot and cold in recent matches and head into today's match on the backdrop of a barren draw away to Bandari last Sunday. Victory will push Batoto ba Mungu to within two points off leaders Tusker.

NOTEBOOK

K'OGALO'S SAVIOUR

Musonye to the rescue of cash-strapped Gor?

Cecafta secretary general Nicholas Musonye could just be the man to help Gor Mahia out of the club's current financial woes. The sports journalist-turned-football administrator has hinted that he is willing to help the Kenyan champions find a new sponsor. While addressing the players and the club's executive at Alpha-Palace Hotel in Kigali yesterday Musonye said: "I know things are very tough but your officials are doing everything possible to make you comfortable. I am aware you have no sponsors and I'm not promising anything. I don't want to jump the gun, but first of all I want you to do well and win this tournament then you will see for yourselves. Let's just keep it at that."

NO RAILWAY, NO TRAIN

Hold on tight for the 'Lunatic Express'

Rwanda is a land-locked country with a good transport system and an impressive road network that snakes its way through scenic hill sides, but with no trace of railway network. Strange as it may sound, trains are unheard of in this part of the world. However, when complete, the proposed Standard Gauge Railway that should inter-link the East African countries stretching from Kenya's port city of Mombasa will give Rwandans their first real experience of trains. But the wait for the arrival of the first train in Rwanda could be longer than expected considering the problems that the multi-billion shillings project has already run into in Kenya.

NO HURRY IN RWANDA

Too bad if you need quick services in Kigali

Rwandese generally like performing their chores at a slow pace. Although the result is meticulous and thorough services, most Nairobians, who are known for their impatience, would get extremely exasperated by say the services offered at eating joints here in Kigali. I have often been forced to place my order for two hours earlier so that I can have it ready by noon or 1pm. Woe unto you if you go to a eatery and demand instant services as most Kenyans are inclined to do.

CURIOUS OBSERVATION

Small, clean city with very few tourists

Kigali is not a large city by any standards. Its Central Business District is by far smaller than Nairobi, Mombasa or Kisumu. Like I have written here before, it in terms of cleanliness, no Kenyan city or town comes close to Kigali. The city is also sparsely populated with modest economic activities. The other curious thing about Kigali is that you will spot very few *Wazungu* tourists roaming the streets, perhaps a pointer to the fact that this is a city still trying to realize its enormous potential.

Compiled by Isaac Swila

Court upholds Suarez suspension but lifts training ban

Geneva

Luis Suarez yesterday failed to win a reprieve from his four-month ban for biting Italy's Giorgio Chiellini at the World Cup, but got a green light to resume training.

In a hotly-awaited ruling, the Court of Arbitration for Sport said it had found Suarez guilty of assault during Uruguay's World Cup match against Italy, in what was one of the highest-profile incidents at the sporting extravaganza in Brazil.

The decision means that the 27-year-old striker remains unable to make his debut for his new club Barcelona until October 25, but can at least train

with his team-mates and be involved in promotional activities.

He is also barred from taking to the pitch with Uruguay for nine consecutive official matches.

"The CAS Panel found that the sanctions imposed on the player were generally proportionate to the offence committed," the court said in a statement. "It has however considered that the stadium ban and the ban from 'any football-related activity' were excessive given that such measures are not appropriate to sanction the offence committed by the player and would still have an impact on his activity after the end of the suspension."

Suarez, accompanied by his lawyers and repre-

sentatives of Barcelona and the Uruguayan Football Association, had last Friday pleaded his case in person at a closed-door session of the Swiss-based CAS, which is the final court of appeal in the sports world. Its three expert arbitrators — two Swiss and one Italian — did not issue a detailed ruling because that case was heard under an expedited procedure under the agreement of all concerned.

The CAS said that the full findings would follow at a later date. Suarez, who has a record of bans for biting opponents, was barred from all football-related activity for four months after biting Chiellini on the shoulder during Uruguay's final Group C game on June 24 in Natal. (AFP)

FOOTBALL FAILINGS | Government to make statement today on state of the sport

Wario promises action on game

Tough talking Sports Cabinet Secretary says Government will 'stop at nothing' to fix football in Kenya

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The Government will stop "at nothing" in its quest to improve the standards of football in Kenya from how it is run in the office and played on the pitch.

Cabinet Secretary for Sports, Arts and Culture Hassan Wario said as much on Wednesday evening during an exclusive interview with NTV.

Wario also reiterated his earlier announcement that his Ministry is on course to release a comprehensive statement on the way forward for the

sport of football "within the next week".

"We are disappointed with the current standards and especially Harambee Stars' recent performance. It is time to re-look at that sport in detail and if something is wrong, we will stop at nothing to correct it," Wario said on NTV.

The Cabinet Secretary is today expected to issue an eagerly awaited announcement on the state of Kenyan football.

Wario's sentiments in the interview are similar to those of Deputy President William Ruto, who said in a separate TV interview on Sunday evening that "football in this country is a true disgrace" before announcing the Government was considering a raft of measures to improve on the situation.

The comments by the two senior Government officials come in the wake of the national football team's shock first round exit from the 2015 Africa Nations Cup of Nations qualifiers and at the hands of minnows Lesotho

on a 1-0 aggregate loss.

That outcome has led to Harambee Stars dropping nine places to position 104 on the latest Fifa world rankings released yesterday. Besides, Kenya has performed dismally in continental competitions over the past few years.

For instance, the national football team was knocked out of the 2014 Africa Nations Championships (Chan) by Burundi. The

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Kenya's new position in the latest Fifa world rankings that shows a big drop of nine places

Under-20 men and women teams also failed to advance beyond the opening phases of their respective continental qualifiers following losses to Tanzania and Rwanda respectively.

Kenya also failed to enter a team in the U-17 continental qualifiers this year a development that handed a bye to a grateful South Sudan, who were not expected to go beyond the first round. Wario has meanwhile said the Government has invested significantly in the repair of the Machakos, Eldoret and Kisumu sporting facilities and is set to begin the construction of two high and low altitude stadiums as part of fulfilling the Jubilee pledge.

Wario also clarified former football greats like Joe Kadenge will in the near future benefit in cash and kind from the Government.

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Hassan Wario

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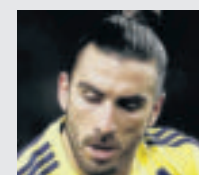
Belgian defender Van Buyten calls it quits

Belgian international defender Daniel van Buyten, without a club since his contract with Bayern Munich expired in June, has decided



to retire from the game at the age of 36. Van Buyten had been approached by several clubs in Germany and France and had a concrete offer on the table of a contract with Belgian champions Anderlecht, who had offered him a one-year deal worth a million euros. But in a letter, which AFP has seen, van Buyten turned the offer down flat. "When I commit to a project, I do so 100 percent ... My body tells me it isn't possible and I do not want to fall short of fulfilling the expectations of a club."

Spain's Hernandez, Flores leave Swansea

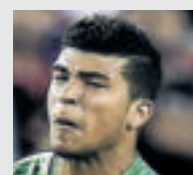


Spanish pair Chico Flores (**left**) and Pablo Hernandez have both left Swansea City for teams in Qatar, the Premier League club announced

yesterday. Both players have left for undisclosed fees, with centre-back Chico joining forces with former Swansea manager Michael Laudrup at Qatari champions Lekhwiya and attacking midfielder Hernandez moving to Al-Arabi. The pair both arrived in 2012 and helped Swansea achieve League Cup success in 2013. "It feels like I am leaving my family," Chico said. "I have really enjoyed my time here. When we won the cup it was one of the best moments in my career."

Tottenham sign USA international Yedlin

Tottenham Hotspur have signed United States right back DeAndre Yedlin from American outfit Seattle Sounders on a four-year contract, the Premier League club announced late on Wednesday.



Yedlin, 21, will remain with the Sounders for a further year before joining up with Tottenham in time for the start of the 2015-16 Premier League season.

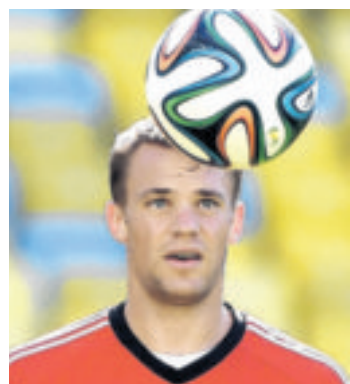
"We are delighted to announce that we have reached agreement with Seattle Sounders for the transfer of United States international right back DeAndre Yedlin," read a statement on the Tottenham website.

Redknapp hopeful of keeping striker Remy



Queens Park Rangers manager Harry Redknapp expressed the hope yesterday that striker Loic Remy would not leave the club in the lurch by leaving hours before

the transfer window closes. Remy, who spent last season on loan at Newcastle United, saw a proposed move to Liverpool collapse last month after he failed a medical. The Frenchman's £8.5 million (\$14.2 million, 10.6 million euros) buy-out clause means he could yet leave before the transfer window closes on September 1, but Redknapp believes that he would not want to depart on bad terms.



Neuer, Robben, Ronaldo for Uefa honours

Paris

German World Cup-winning goalkeeper Manuel Neuer (**left**), Netherlands winger Arjen Robben and Real Madrid and Portugal star Cristiano Ronaldo are the three contenders to win Uefa's Best Player in Europe Award for 2013/14.

The winner, to be announced on August 28 in Monaco, where the draw for the group stage of the Champions

League is taking place, will succeed last year's victor Franck Ribery.

A jury made up of journalists from the 54 member associations of Uefa will decide the winner.

Neuer and Robben were both part of the Bayern Munich side that won the domestic league and cup double in Germany last season, while the former was the outstanding goalkeeper at the World Cup and Robben impressed as the Dutch finished third. Ronaldo did

not shine at the World Cup but he did star as Real Madrid won the Champions League and Copa del Rey.

Uefa will meanwhile reveal the 13 countries chosen to host Euro 2020 on September 19 in Geneva, Uefa announced yesterday. Nineteen countries have put forward one city each to host the new Europe-wide format, the brainchild of Uefa president Michel Platini, to celebrate 60 years of the tournament that began in 1960. (AFP)



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JOB BOYCOTT | Stayaway to begin on Monday if workers do not receive salaries

Doctors plan strike over pay delay

Union accuses county governments of failure to manage their human resource since devolution came into effect

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A crisis looms in the public health sector after doctors and other workers threatened to go on strike if their salaries are not paid by Monday.

Leaders of the Kenya Medical Practitioners, Pharmacists and Dentists Union complained of delays by county governments in releasing their monthly pay cheques, many of which have not been issued since June.

"County governments have failed to manage the human resource in the health sector since devolution was implemented," said union chairman Victor Ng'ani.

"We need to have a Health Service Commission in place, which will manage the welfare of all workers in the sector," Dr Ng'ani said at a press conference in Nairobi yesterday.

He said union leaders had given county governments time to address their concerns, including salaries, since devolution was implemented.



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Ms Monicah Milando, a nurse at Lumumba Health Centre in Kisumu, addresses mothers who had brought their children for treatment on Wednesday. Operations at the institution were normal, although the staff have not received their July pay.

"We have been patient. They told us back in December that they were ready. We now want them to show us that readiness."

The union leaders asked all health workers to join them in protesting against "salary delays, lack of promotion and rampant tribalism".

"In the last eight months, health workers have faced salary delays," said the official.

The health workers said they would support the referendum called by opposition coalition Cord if it included the creation of an independent body — the Health Service Commission — that would regulate the sector.

At the same time, the Union of Kenya Civil Servants protested

against the delay in payment of the July salaries of public servants in 22 counties.

Secretary-general Tom Odege said hundreds of public servants in the counties were suffering after the unexplained pay delay. He urged

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In the last eight months, health workers have faced salary delays”

Kenya Medical Practitioners, Pharmacists and Dentists Union chairman Victor Ng'ani

the government to create a different account for salaries to avoid inconveniencing workers.

"Our members have already delivered their services and it is unfair for the State to delay their pay over a dispute with county governments," said Mr Odege.

Some workers in various counties have threatened to engage in industrial action if the salaries are not released soon.

The affected counties include Kiambu, Nyandarua, Kirinyaga, Lamu, Mombasa, Embu, Machakos, Tharaka Nithi, Homa Bay, Kisii, Kisumu, Baringo, Kajiado, Laikipia, Turkana, Uasin Gishu, Busia, Vihiga, Tana River, Makeni, Meru, Kericho and Siaya.

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Creative arts could easily provide

For a long time, governments in the region have paid little, if any, attention to the creative arts, with the only serious training grounds being educational institutions. But even here, they are not seen as producing 'serious' professionals. As a result, the sector remains largely unexploited, surviving mainly thanks to private sponsors

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The creative economies of Kenya, Uganda, and Tanzania, like those of most other African countries, are still bogged down with a host of problems. These include scarcity of funds, lack of skilled personnel, poor distribution systems, small markets, and copyright infringement. As a result, they cannot grow.

According to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (Unesco) the core creative arts are literature, music, the performing arts, and visual arts. The core cultural industries are film, museums, and libraries.

The wider cultural industries are heritage services, publishing, sound recording, television and radio, video and computer games, while related industries are advertising, architecture, and design and fashion.

Judy Ogana, the general manager of the GoDown Arts Centre in Nairobi, describes the creative economy in Kenya, as fresh and vibrant, but yet to realise its full potential. The creative sector has historically been under-valued and, consequently, underfunded by the government.

Ogana notes that it was only in 2010 that the National Policy on Culture and Heritage was launched and although the new Constitution has elevated the place of culture in Kenya, the sector is yet to benefit. "Yet, artistes are more recognised now than ever — from musicians to actors, filmmakers and dancers — there is more hope in this sector than ever. Kenyan visual artists are being sought out on the world stage. The government has opened academies to tap talent, especially among the youth, and the current regime places emphasis on talent enhancement as a way of alleviating poverty and providing jobs for the youth."

Emily Drani, the executive director of the Kampala-based Cross-Cultural Foundation of Uganda (CCFU), bemoans the state of Uganda's creative economy. "While Uganda's cultural heritage presents a potential resource for the creative industries to generate new and innovative products and services, there has been limited investment in the knowledge, skills,

infrastructure, and education in this regard."

Drani adds: "Limited exposure, professionalism, and originality of the producers of creative products and services has resulted in products that do not fare well in the face of international competition in respect to foreign artistic content (music, film, artefacts, etc). Avenues through which Ugandan artistes can acquire and enhance their technical competence are almost non-existent outside academic institutions and even within these institutions, courses related to the creative economy are not seen as producing 'serious' professionals."

She notes that the creative sector is mainly driven by private initiators, most of whom are donor-dependent.

This affects the development of creative thought because interventions are time-bound and have limited scope.

Nuwa Wamala-Nnyanzi, a Kampala-based visual artist and consultant, concurs. "The majority of players depend on their meagre savings because they have no access to funds that would spur reasonable growth. The government neither invests in nor promotes the creative industry, but only reaps where it did not sow. For instance, letting out its premises at exorbitant rates to private players who have staked a lot to produce and market art."

Yusuf Mahmoud, the chief executive officer of Busara Promotions, which organises the annual Sauti za Busara music festival in Zanzibar, observes: "We recognise the enormous potential of the creative industries to provide meaningful employment, reduce poverty, and improve livelihoods. Tanzania is blessed with many great artistes and creative talent, but we lack skilled or experienced managers and creative industry professionals."

Mahmoud notes that his group organises Sauti za Busara festival to develop skills in the creative sector, adding that it provides a forum for intra-African exchange by bringing together diverse artistes and audiences.

"Furthermore, the festival brings clear benefits, promoting Tanzania as a destination for cultural tourism, with positive global media exposure continuing throughout the year. Many festival



The festival brings clear benefits, promoting Tanzania as a destination for cultural tourism..."

- Yusuf Mahmoud, CEO, Busara Productions

visitors now stay an extra week, bringing economic benefits for the wider population at a time when the tourist season in Zanzibar would otherwise be slow," Mahmoud adds.

The GoDown is part of a creative economy working group (CEWG), which comprises 10 Kenyan cultural organisations interested in its growth and development. Formed mid last year, CEWG is spearheading the exploration and re-positioning of the creative economy in Kenya as

a viable sector and to influence relevant legislation. "We aim to promote and enhance the growth of the creative sector in Kenya," Ogana said, adding that fragmentation, gaps in critical aspects of the value chain, and lack of critical data are the major challenges facing the sector in Kenya.

Although Ogana says the launch of the national policy in March 2010 was a huge milestone, "the celebration of this policy, which was to be the blueprint for the growth and development of the sector, was short-lived as challenges regarding how to actualise it proved a test for the Department of Culture, which is still grappling with the document — four years on."

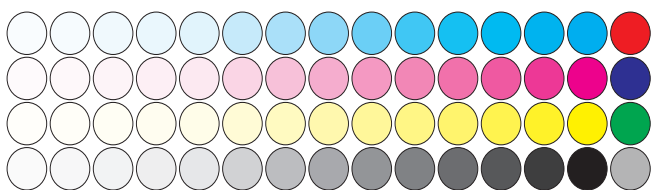
She acknowledges that it has been an uphill task to lobby for recognition and resources. "This has been due to fragmentation in the sector and lack of empowered structures within the government. The more organised sub-sectors such as film and music have managed to lobby for tax breaks and legislation that favours their particular sub-sectors. An overarching parastatal such as a national arts council would

be well placed to spearhead initiatives that would open up opportunities for leveraging these pieces of legislation," she explains.

Drani notes that the major challenges facing the sector in Uganda include the influence of some religious institutions that demonise culture in general (rather than specific negative and irrelevant cultural practices), limited political will and financing, and lack of a ministry of culture with cultural-related structures spread out across different ministries and departments.

Although the 1995 Uganda Constitution recognises the existence and importance of culture supported by national policies such as the National Culture Policy (2006) and the Uganda National Cultural Centre Act 1959 (CAP 50), investment in operationalising national and international policies is woefully inadequate, at less than 1 per cent of the national budget.

CCFU is advocating support to be increased from less than 0.05 per cent to 1 per cent by 2015, arguing that the cultural sector has great potential for creating employment and generating



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Clockwise from above: Members of Kenya's Fanaka Arts perform a comedy in Nairobi, popular Tanzanian musician Diamond, and Uganda's Qwela group in action: The governments in all three countries give little meaningful support to the creative arts, leaving the sector largely in the hands of private interests.

revenue. However, to realise its full potential, significant investment must be made in heritage development.

Drani says a significant increase in financing would result in, among others, visible contributions to sustainable development in the form of "enhanced cultural tourism by capitalising on, and investing in, our cultural diversity. Financial and technical support to community museums and cultural centres will enrich the diversity of Uganda's resources for local and international tourism and revenue generation."

She says culture is the basis for human dignity, so investing in its preservation and promotion contributes to a sense of belonging, self-determination and esteem, and social cohesion.

Wamala-Nnyanzi concurs, adding that the proposed increment would go a long way in improving products and the welfare of producers and dealers, leading to greater appreciation of the sector.

"The country's image would significantly benefit from the untapped talent... At the moment, the government is not only reaping where it did not sow, but also milking without feeding the cow. It should start by patronising Uganda's visual arts as a way of establishing a local market before thinking about the external market," Wamala-Nnyanzi says.

And Mahmoud notes, "The

Tanzanian government does not directly support the creative sector in terms of policy or budget allocations. I guess they see it as low priority compared with more pressing needs like education and health."

Mahmoud adds that, while in most countries artistes and festival promoters can get financial support from the local, regional, or national authorities, in Zanzibar, it is the other way round as artistes pay the government for the privilege of hosting a festival that promotes the country as a destination for cultural tourism.

"I would love to see the Tanzanian government implementing policies and supporting the creative industries. If young people had the opportunity to access education, vocational training, and skills development in the arts and events management and promotion, sound and lighting engineering, media skills and so on, it would greatly contribute to building an arts infrastructure that nurtures creativity, supports local talent, creates jobs and income, as well as putting Tanzania on the world map, as happens in Nigeria, Senegal, and South Africa, thanks to a thriving cultural sector," he says.

Mahmoud would also like to see a compulsory quota for pan-African music content included in local TV and radio programming, which, apart from local pop music, is mostly foreign. "I think that's scandalous, when some of the best music in the world is right here in Africa," he says.

According to Unesco's *Creative Economy Report 2013*, marketing objectives in Africa are beginning to take root in the visions of local officials, who are also beginning to recognise that civil society bodies have a key role to play in building production and distribution infrastructure, as



Classification

Core creative arts

Literature,
Music,
Performing arts
Visual arts.

Core cultural industries

Film,
Museums
Libraries.

Wider cultural industries

Heritage services
publishing, sound recording,
television and radio, video and
computer games,

Related industries

Advertising,
Architecture
Design and
Fashion

well as in the development and financing of cultural and creative enterprises.

International non-governmental organisations and overseas development organisations have been widely associated with these efforts and a number of cities in the global North have also partnered with African cities in this field, it adds.

"Broadly speaking, there is little effective partnership between the cultural and creative industries on the one hand, and government on the other, although the picture has begun to change for the better in Burkina Faso, Kenya, Mali, Nigeria, Senegal, and South Africa. To remedy this situation, artistes and cultural practitioners across Africa are adopting innovative business models and alliances, as illustrated by the Festival sur le Niger and the Book Café in Harare."

African artists and cultural practitioners are becoming more visible through the campaigns, programmes, organisations, fairs, markets, exhibitions, and cultural spaces that they themselves are promoting.

"These provide opportunities for networking and working together and articulating claims and rights to government and the media. In the museum and gallery world in particular, a new generation of curators are changing the terms of engagement. New private sector visual arts projects have been implemented in a number of African countries.

"While the need to connect creative economy development with that of other sectors, such as hospitality, transport, or trade, is increasingly recognised, policymakers still resist linking these sectors, notably as culture is still perceived as a luxury by many," the report observes.

Figures published by the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

in May 2013 show that world trade of creative goods and services totalled a record \$624 billion in 2011, and that it more than doubled between 2002 to 2011; the average annual growth rate during that period was 8.8 per cent. Growth in developing country exports of creative goods was even higher, averaging 12.1 per cent annually over the same period.

Across the African continent, the cultural and creative industries have seen rapid growth in recent years. Unesco's *Creative Economy Report 2008* indicates that Africa contributed less than 1 per cent to world exports of creative goods, but noted that this low figure could be explained by the limited support capacity in the continent as well as the fact that most of the cultural industry production takes place in the informal sector.

"However, even with respect to the formal economy, these figures tell only part of the story as the bulk of commercial activity of these industries is in the hands of small, independent producers," the 2013 special edition observed, adding: "It is in the informal sector that the African creative economy is the most vibrant. Connected to this is the high rate of population growth that the African continent is likely to experience, with the arrival of more than 400 million young people on the labour market over the next two decades."

Most of the growth in six of the 10 countries where economic growth was the highest between 2001 and 2010 has taken place principally in the extractive industries. "Thus, for young people, the informal sector of Africa's creative economy can provide a range of opportunities to work, create start-ups, and develop skills. Clearly, the full employment potential of the cultural sector is still untapped," the report notes.



Jobs

Getting ahead in today's job market



JOB TIP: MAKE GOOD HABITS A HABIT

Accuracy, initiative, honesty, open-mindedness, adaptability, attendance, punctuality, diligence and appearance are just but a few words that describe good work habits. How about having these words and others of the same kind echoing in your mind every now and then at work?

LEGAL SKILLS

Where fresh law graduates get a lease of practice

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Present day Kenyan graduates have been on the receiving end of scathing attacks, with employers generally questioning the contrast between their practical skills and the marks on their academic transcripts.

Not even law, one of the most prestigious professions the world over, has escaped such criticism, some of it delivered in the most blunt of ways by senior practitioners. In August last year, Attorney General Githu Muigai referred to some law programmes as “a con game” by some universities to ‘mint’ money.

Senior partners at Muriu Mungai and Company Advocates, which is known to many as MMC Africa, are also concerned about what they view as a deterioration of law training. The law firm has nonetheless chosen to pursue a scheme that is designed to provide the necessary practical exposure and mentorship to law graduates who seem inclined to succeed if guided.

Those who join the firm are attached to a senior partner who they work with as co-counsel.

They are also made to rotate in practice at all the departments at the firm, and expected to write reports on how to tackle on going cases as they approach the end of their internship.

MMC Africa senior partner Mungai Kamau, known to his peers as ‘IK’, says: “I meet young lawyers whose academic transcripts are not reflected in their practice at all...not even the language, let alone the grip of what a lawyer should do for simple cases.”

Parallel degree programmes

Nancy Karanu, an associate partner at the same firm and head of Intellectual Property Division, offers a similar view.

Karanu and IK are particularly surprised because some of the graduates they sympathise with for low understanding of the practice made it to the dean's list in law schools by virtue of their good grades.

While IK applauds the gap that parallel degree programmes bridged in the provision of higher education in Kenya, he blames them as part of the problem in producing what he refers to as, “copy and paste lawyers who cannot apply their knowledge in situations that do not present themselves in the same manner they studied in school...”

The other angle to the problem, he observes, is that the many law schools that have emerged cannot be adequately covered by the few credible instructors in the market. Some of the former lecturers with extensive experience in legal practice got appointed to commissions. Others pursued interests outside the lecture halls.

Notable ones include Prof Kindiki Kithure, who is now the senator of Tharaka Nithi. He was a lecturer at the University of Nairobi. The other is Prof James Otieno-Odek, who was among the 16 candidates nominated by the Judicial Service Commission (JSC) to serve in the Court of Appeal, forcing him to leave his lecturing role.

The vacuum so created by many others of such calibre, IK argues, has left students in the

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BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT | Adopting good practice one habit at a time

Tips on work culture change from Alcoholics Anonymous

When it comes to modifying deeply ingrained behaviour, AA programmes use time tested methods that organisations can draw on

BY KEITH FERRAZZI

The New York Times Syndicate

At a client's off-site meeting a few years ago, I gave a talk on how companies could bring about dramatic cultural change – the focus of my firm's consulting work.

At the end, a man approached and asked: “Are you a friend of Bill's?” Seeing my confused expression, he attempted a clarification: “Are you a friend of Bill W's?”

“Who's Bill W?” I enquired.

The man explained that Bill Wilson was the founder of Alcoholics Anonymous, and that members used the question, “Are you a friend of Bill's?” to discreetly inquire about whether acquaintances were in AA. “I'm not,” I eventually replied. “Why do you ask?”

He said that the methods I had described to lead change reminded him of the methods AA used to help people stop drinking, so much so that he had wondered if I was one myself. I thought it was an interesting exchange, but gave it no further thought at the time.

Soon afterward a senior executive at another client told me that the process we had used to coach his team had inspired him to confront his alcohol abuse. This made me curious.

So, over the past several years, my team and I studied a variety of addiction treatment programmes. We approached the endeavour with scepticism.

On the surface, change management and addiction treatment seemed wholly dissimilar. Over time, however, we saw many parallels between how the two bodies of work leveraged human nature to modify behaviour. In the process, we discovered a provocative lens and language to help change managers better understand their mission and methods.

Many change programmes



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focus on providing strategies and training. But often, that's not enough. When it comes to modifying deeply ingrained behaviour, AA programmes have a superior track record. They use incentives, celebration, peer pressure, coaching, negative reinforcement and role models – things organisations can draw on.

Nothing happens without a readiness to change. John Kotter, the pre-eminent change management expert, has written: “People don't change a minute before they are ready.” You can't force people to change. You can only help them want to. AA's process recognises this truth. Few managers do.

It's important to replace old habits with new ones. AA serves coffee to give attendees a beverage in place of the ones they have given up. In change management, the goal is to replace negative habits with positive ones.

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People don't change a minute before they are ready”

John Kotter, a change management expert

At one restaurant chain, managers used to begin the day by going over the numbers from the previous shift. Analysing numbers alone often don't explain why sales went up or down. So, we helped managers to start the day with talking with crew members to learn whether anything unusual had happened on the previous shift. This increased their understanding of business conditions and boosted employee engagement. Sales went up.

Peer support and pressure drive change. Research has shown that support groups benefit people with a wide range of medical and psychological conditions. In our work, we find that bringing employees together in peer groups to discuss change can create accountability, a judgment-free attitude and increased pressure on employees to change.

Sponsorship deepens commitment and sparks results. AA pairs experienced members or sponsors with newcomers for one-on-one support. The corporate version, called peer coaching or mentorship, has been widely embraced. For example, 70 per cent of Fortune 500 companies use it with their salespeople.

Identifying early adopters of the behaviours that a company wants to instil can create positive contagion. Pairing

these role models with slower-to-adopt colleagues can be far more effective than coaching by outside experts.

Community without hierarchy is a catalyst for change. AA is famous for its organisational structure, in which local groups are self-directed. Research has shown that this structure increases members' security and sense of mutuality in the relationships they form. Companies require a hierarchy, but peer role models can successfully lead projects within a change initiative.

You are the company you keep. Studies have shown that people with a close friend or relative who drinks heavily are 50 per cent likelier to be heavy drinkers themselves. This knowledge can guide change managers, who should evaluate the benefit of helping particular employees to change in light of their potential to get others to follow suit.

Continuous introspection is key. Early in the AA programme, members examine their past behaviour and start trying to change. We see such moral inventory in effective corporate change initiatives as well.

Changes in practice may represent breakthroughs. In the AA programme, a profound

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Tips on culture change from alcoholics group

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transformation occurs when a participant shifts from an emotional framework of resentment toward a more positive mind-set. But “mind-set” is hard to measure, and minds are hard to change. Therefore, in our work, we focus on identifiable shifts in practice. We coach new habits that emphasise growth rather than cost-cutting, for example, or that grow profitability rather than revenue.

It pays to acknowledge small wins. AA doesn’t ask members never to drink again. That goal would seem unreachable. It asks them not to drink that day, and it recognises small milestones by awarding “sobriety coins”. Change managers should take a lesson from this practice and find ways for employees to demonstrate and celebrate incremental achievements.

The goal is progress, not perfection. Ninety per cent of recovering alcoholics relapse at some point. The newly sober are bombarded with sensory cues that their brains associate with their addiction. In organisations, too, change doesn’t always follow a straight line.

Neuroscience has shown that people’s emotional responses to work create their own chemical reactions. But no matter how habituated employees are to established business practices, they can adapt to new ways of working.

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CHANGE TALKS | Let them call you arrogant, but don’t lower your intellectual altitude

If you can fly high, why stay low?

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Driving from Voi on the Mombasa highway at more than 100km per hour, I suddenly hear a mild thud as something hits the windscreen of the car. Then I notice a blood splat. It happened again. A bird, in an attempt to ‘cross’ the road, had been hit and killed by the car.

While the urge to feel sorry for the bird is valid, I cannot but wonder: What was a bird that is equipped to fly high in the air doing at a level where it could be hit by a car? Was it drunk on something? Had it gone crazy? Was it deceived or was it just in a bloated show of confidence?

The big question for today

Whatever the reason, the truth is that birds that were made to soar high above the ground should never be hit by cars that are driven on the ground.

Many people, like the bird, are being hit today by things that shouldn’t even touch them. The big question for today, therefore, is, what is your altitude? Are you flying low when you should be soaring high?

As a little kid in a school in England, I was once called a



Whatever your vision, do not reduce it to accommodate resources. Rather, increase your capacity to execute the grand vision

Pakistani Bee by a schoolmate. I went home crying to my mother. When I told her about the incident, she asked me two questions. First, she asked if I was a Pakistani. I said no, even though I did not at that time even understand what the word meant. Next, she asked

if I was a bee, to which I again answered in the negative.

“Why then are you behaving in a manner likely to suggest that you are one,” she asked. Of course each of here words were synchronised with a slap. I got the message and I never forgot.

The reality is that you descend from your high altitude every time you pay attention to things that should not bother you.

Conscious of critics

I used to be very conscious of critics, but then I realised that if you did not want critics in your life, you would have to stay small and do nothing significant. If you are always looking for approval before moving on in life, then you have assumed that people must always be on the same thought frequency as you.

Well, that won’t always happen. Many people will try to talk you to align with their level of thought. If it is lower than yours then, you will be operating at a lower altitude, should they convince you. And by that, you will have increased your chances of being hit hard like the bird, by incidents that should not ordinarily pose a threat.

Whatever your vision, do not reduce it to accommodate resources. Rather, increase your

capacity to execute the grand vision.

The English language has an expression that people should get off their high horses. My question is, why?

While we learn from the wisdom of others, we need to be careful so we do not allow our visions to be diluted by people who cannot see what we are visualising.

Most of the time, the people who will tell you to get off your high horse are on foot. Do not lower your thinking to accommodate low thinkers or non-thinkers for that matter. Instead, change your networks to accommodate your level of thinking.

Average level of thinking

Remember that insecure people always interpret the actions of confident people as arrogance.

If you are too concerned about people liking you, then there is a strong possibility you will descend to the average level of thinking. With that, there will be a near guarantee that you will not accomplish much.

Never forget that the only way a bird gets killed by a moving car is when it ‘gets off its high horse’ and decides to fly at an altitude it should ordinarily and even comfortably soar far above.

MANAGEMENT 101 | Work hard at work and you earn a living; work hard on yourself and you grow

You get paid for the value you add, not time

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Jerry worked as a clerk and found it difficult juggling his job and class. He had registered privately for a course that would improve his skills.

Over the months, he started putting the newly acquired knowledge to work. As he ploughed through the office files, he developed new ways of becoming systematic.

With time, Jerry really became organised. At first, nobody noticed. However, things changed when one afternoon, Maureen came into the registry looking for a particular file.

Maureen was a consultant who had been attached to the organisation to figure out how to improve the organisation’s performance. She was immediately impressed by the orderliness in the small registry that Jerry manned.

As she returned the file the following week, she had a chat with Jerry and realised that he was very good at organising things. Eventually, Jerry was moved from the registry and redeployed to assist Maureen in getting things organised.

It was only a matter of time before Jerry found himself being given more responsibilities and promotions. Unknowingly, he had found the secret to promotion – value addition.

Jim Rohn, one of the most respected management and personal development gurus, states that people do not get paid for the amount of time



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they put into their work but the value that they add to their organisations. It pays to bring value to the workplace.

He argues that when people do not get much money, it is usually because they do not add much value to their organisations. Jim advises that if you want to get much money, start becoming very valuable because, he says, people do not get ahead by demanding for money, but by becoming more valuable to an organisation.

Employees who help their organisations to make a lot of money have no problem getting a pay rise

because they have added value to the employer.

But it takes time to become valuable, and the key is not to change our workplaces but ourselves.

According to Jim, if you work hard on your job, you get a living. Working hard on your job will get you a salary, but learning to work hard on yourself moves you up.

Thus, if you work hard on yourself, you add value to yourself and make a fortune. Did you know that 20 per cent of any workforce in an organisation earns 80 per cent of the money?

He argues that working on yourself is about changing your attitude,

how you communicate, your skills, mannerisms, dressing and everything that defines you. It means not waiting for circumstances to change before you change.

The difference is not in the circumstances but how you respond to them. Someone once said: “Change the way you look at things and the things you look at start changing.”

You may go through difficult circumstances but you rise to the top because of choosing to add value instead of bemoaning your predicament.

One doctor was wrongly imprisoned. Instead of becoming bitter, he chose to help his fellow inmates.

By the time he was set free, he had risen to become the prison doctor and enjoyed privileges that no prisoner had ever been accorded. He had chosen to add value.

It all boils down to the choices we make. Adding value is an inside job, which is eventually seen on the outside.

If you want to get ahead in your workplace, ask yourself, how can I add value in this organisation?

Critically evaluate yourself, come up with a roadmap and make a choice to improve yourself, to add value. You will be paid for the value that you add. Choose to become a person of value.

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Law firm offers fresh graduates a lease of life

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hands of instructors with very little experience in litigation and general practice.

“Anyone can get a masters’ degree in law to qualify to teach in colleges, but that is not enough,” he stresses.

MMC Africa probably has every right to critique the training of law students, and subsequently to extend an offer to hold the hands of those who can be assisted.

In 2010, it was listed as Kenya’s leading corporate law firm by Chambers Global, one of the world’s largest lawyers’ databases that has been operational since 1990, with jurisdiction in 185 countries worldwide.

The firm is known for its pupillage programme, in which fresh lawyers who join the firm for internship are put under the senior partners to go through cases.

Depending on the progress the graduates demonstrate, they are gradually given assignments to tackle on their own, of course with supervision.

The transformation that most of the them go through after they have spent a some weeks at MMC Africa, Karanu says, provides encouraging evidence about the power of structured mentorship programmes as the most immediate solution available to employers in boosting the knowledge and understanding of new lawyers.

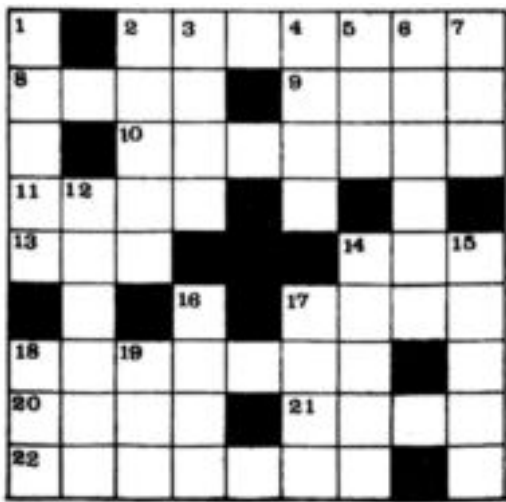
SIMPLE CROSSWORD

ACROSS

2. To run away secretly especially to avoid arrest, prosecution etc.
8. Star lioness in Joy Adamson's works
9. District in north western Uganda
10. Offspring
11. Not closed
13. To convert hides and skin into leather
14. A mine
17. A rude ill-mannered person
18. Finds the site of a place
20. A cry of grief
21. Queries
22. Marsh gas

DOWN

1. A warehouse
2. The trembling poplar
3. A farm building for housing produce, implement or livestock
4. An enclosure with bars for confining birds or animals
5. An unwrought metal
6. Permanent papal ambassador to a foreign government
7. Duration of time, 24 hours



12. A prisoner's word of honour
14. Body of men with authority to maintain law
15. Refuse or rubbish
16. A lively big celebrations
17. A kidney-shaped leguminous seed

18. To thrash
19. Family of animals as the lion, cheetah, etc.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

ACROSS:

1. Carnival
7. Our
8. Pot
10. Flare
12. Sue
13. Ears
14. Dene
15. Ego
16. Ones
21. Add
22. Adore
23. Keg
24. ILO
25. Rendered

DOWN:

1. Café
2. Roar
3. Nurses
4. Ire
5. Apse
6. Lounger
9. Tee
11. Launder
14. Doodle
16. Oak
17. Edge
19. Door
20. Seed
22. Aid

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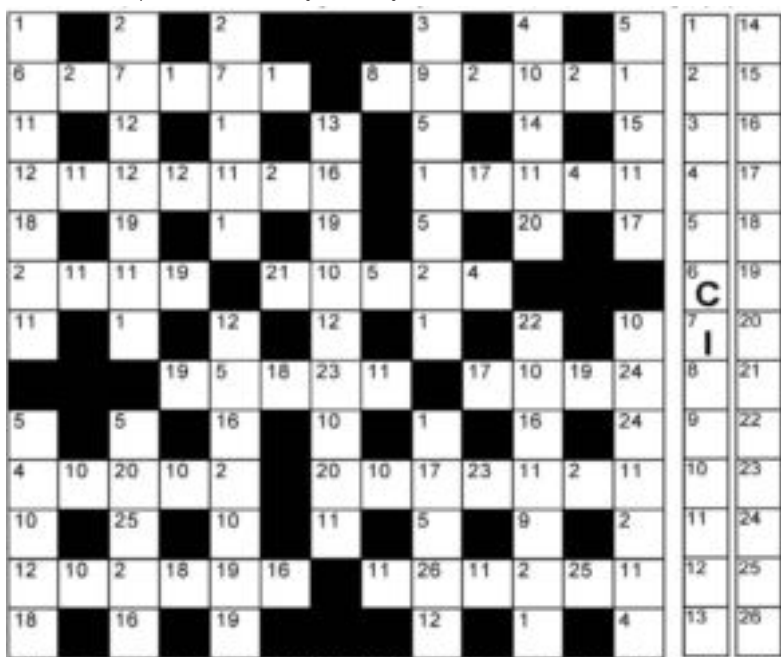
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CODEWORD

Each number in our Codeword grid represents a different letter of the alphabet. For example, today 6 represents C so fill in C every time the figure 6 appears. You have two letters in the control grid to start you off. Enter them in the appropriate squares in the main grid, then use your knowledge of words to work out which letters should go in the missing squares. As you get the letters, fill in other squares with the same number in the main grid and control grid. Check off the list of alphabetical letters as you identify them.



YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

COMPLEX CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 1 Each tribunal formed is severe in judging (12)
9 Ten in a shop stirred by single musical instrument (9)
10 First of leopardestes in hollow to give birth (5)
11 Throw a Parisian group when answer entered (6)
12 Servant returned don's crumpled suit (8)
13 Failure of French action (6)
15 Greeting central character in romance — what a fantastic literary hero (8)
18 Speak in clubs about poetry (8)
19 'Hard hearted girl', girl in hot hospital (6)
21 US political movement from Pennsylvania breaching new treaty (3,5)
23 Horrified at hag's brew (6)
26 Couple smack child (5)
27 Oxide, thin on the ground (4,5)
28 Overcome with anxiety, wanted social reforms (2,1,4,5)

DOWN

- 1 Flawed United Nations measure (7)
2 Apples in crates — 100 for bishop (5)
3 Team leader, Greek character with letters, reportedly (5,4)
4 Edible seaweed served up in club (4)
5 A suitable one, salesman sent over drink before meal (8)

- 6 One filling in for actor Herbert, entertaining copper (5)
7 Board not erected offering food for fish (8)
8 Female entertainer his age? Possibly (6)
14 Corresponds about familiar paintings and poetry etc (4,4)
16 American cowboys, those in dispute (9)
17 English boozier used by man full of mystery (8)
18 Hear end of shanty that's easy to remember (6)
20 VIP in recently taken photograph (7)

- 22 Article about female, deathly pale (5)
24 An environmentalist almost gives consent (5)
25 Examination in ethics Ms fails to attend (4)

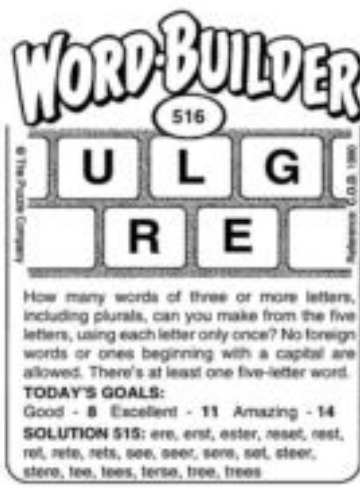
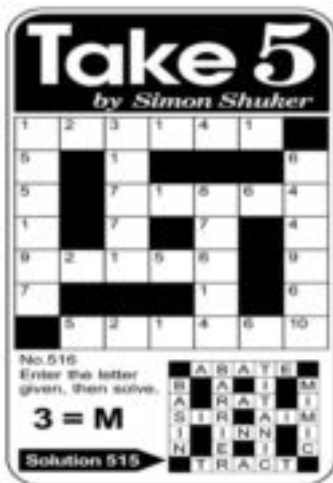
YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

ACROSS

- 1 Scuff
4 Acidic
8 Hornbeam
10 Across
11 Flee
12 Peccadillo
13 Entertaining
16 Bridget Jones
20 Locomotion
21 Beef
22 Hoodoo
23 Diatribe
24 Egrets
25 Editor

DOWN

- 1 Scowling
2 Range
3 Fleapit
5 Chapati
6 Derring do
7 Castle
9 Mockingbird
14 Embroider
15 Remember
17 Iron Out
18 Tankard
19 Morose
21 Beret



TRIO 515 SOLUTION
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5:00am: Password Repeat
6:00am: AM Live
9:00am: La Patrona
10:00am: Maid In Manhattan
11:15am The Young & The Restless
12:00pm: Rhythm City
12:30pm: Scandal
1:00pm: NTV at 1
1:30pm: Movie: Open Season
3:00p.m: Password
4:00p.m: NTV at 4
4:15pm: Password Reloaded
5:00pm: The Beat
6:00pm: Destiny River
7:00pm: NTV Jioni
7:30pm: Looks & Essence
8:30pm: #theTrend
9:00pm: NTV Weekend Edition
10:00pm #theTrend
11:30pm Movie: True Lies
01:00am: CNN

TREAT OF THE DAY



DESTINY RIVER : 6PM

Estela Solano prevents make your offering. Max Victor questions regarding his involvement with Amelia. Beatriz is depressed and asks for help to Father Emilio, who delivers a sermon to Solano to forgive your mother. Beatriz Solano and reconcile.

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHT

LOOKS AND ESSENCE 7:30PM
#THE TREND 10:00PM



06.00 State of the Nation – Angela Angwenyi & Lorna Irungu Macharia
10.00 The Morning Combination – Sanaipei Tande & Obinna Ike Igwee
1.00 The One (news bulletin)
1.15 Music Mix
2.00 Sportsline – Sean Cardovillis
4.00 Nation Drive – Yvonne Mumbi Seraki & Tonee Ndungu
6.00 The Six (news bulletin)
6.15 Nation Drive (Cont)
8.00 Nation's Late Night – Ciru Muriuki and Anto Neo Soul



4:00 Tambira ya QFM na Selly Amutabi
6:00 Changamka na Rashid Abdalla na Munene Nyaga
10:00 Kazi Burudani na Ali Baba Kilingo
1.00 Ma afte with Mwafreeka na Jah mby
4:00 Q Drive na Aggy Owande na Ogutu wa Kimani
7:00 Rhumba Kitoko na Dokotolo Lawi
8:00 Tulizana Rhyno Kukuni
12:00 Vuka na Style na Eunice Waithera



QTV

5:20 Uongofu
5:45 Worker's Prayer/Toleo la Asubuhi
6:30 Nasaha
6:40 Chee Live
9:00 Dreams Come True
11:00 Tumsifu

11:30 Irrational Heart
12:00 Vipasho
12:05 Irrational Heart
12:30 Tumsifu
1:00 Toleo La Mchana
1:30 Sifa
2:00 Vipasho
2:05 Malimwengu

2:30 Longa Longa
3:00 Vipasho
3:05 Longa Longa
4:00 Vipasho
4:05 Mahewa
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11AM, 2PM
“HERCULES IN 3D” (U/16)
4PM
“LETS BE COPS” (TBA)
6PM
“SINGHAM RETURNS” (TBA)
9PM

SCREEN II

“HERCULES IN 3D” (TBA)
11AM, 2PM, 6.10PM
“LETS BE COPS” (TBA)
4PM
“PRIVATE SHOW”
8.30PM

CENTURY CINEMAX JUNCTION, NGONG ROAD

SCREEN I

“HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON 2” (2D) (G/E)
10.30AM, 12.30PM
“PLANES 2” (2D) (G/E)
7.30PM
“DAWN OF THE PLANET APES” (2D) (16)
2.30PM, 5PM, 9.20PM

SCREEN II

“PLANES 2” (3D) (G/E)
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“HERCULES” (3D) (16)
7.30PM, 9.40PM

SCREEN III

“GUARDIANS OF THE GALAXY” (2D) (P/G)
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SCREEN IV

“THINK LIKE A MAN TOO” (18)
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“HERCULES” (2D) (16)
4.30PM
“LETS BE COPS” (16)
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PLANET MEDIA, PRESTIGE PLAZA, NGONG ROAD

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“LETS BE COPS” (TBA) (2D)
11.15AM, 1.20PM, 3.20PM
“SINGHAM RETURNS” (TBA)
9PM
“ITS ENTERTAINMENT” (P/G)
6.15PM

PLANET MEDIA CINEMAS, NAKUMATT MEGA CITY MALL-KISUMU

SCREEN I

“MALEFICENT” (P/G)
1.40PM, 3.40PM, 8.20PM
“X-MEN- DAYS OF FUTURE PAST” (16)
5.40PM

SCREEN II

“PLANES 2” (TBA)
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AQUARIUS | JAN 21 - FEB 19

While it won't all be clear sailing in your career, a more focused and incisive frame of mind can make solid headway possible. When talking to others, you might need to ignore their words and instead go with your gut feelings,

PISCES | FEB 20 - MAR 20

Passions are strong when it comes to expanding your horizons in general, giving you the courage to make a bold move. The presence of Mars in Scorpio can push you to explore new options.

ARIES | MAR 21 - APR 20

Though there's a fun element to the week, you'll also be aware of a difficult issue that needs attention. For instance, the heady enjoyment of romance might contrast with problems around finances.

TAURUS | APR 21 - MAY 20

There may be a power struggle going on, so be careful what you say. Words can sting, especially at this time when Mars in Scorpio can encourage heated disagreements or assistance.

GEMINI | MAY 21 - JUNE 21

There's a lively social undertone this week encouraging you to pursue contacts, friendships, and memberships. Yet you may need to work hard at communicating with significant people later in the day.

CANCER | JUN 22 - JULY 22

Directing your energy into the right channels brings opportunities for success. In this case, brainstorming moneymaking ideas and coming up with creative outlets for your talents could substantially increase your income.

LEO | JULY 23 - AUG 22

You're vibrating to the social buzz of summer. And you're truly in your element with your astrological ruler, the Sun, in your sign. But you could be treading a fine line when it comes to home and family matters.

VIRGO | AUG 23 - SEP 23

Though you may be busy this weekend the current lineup hints that this is a good time to relax and recharge. With a focus on your spiritual sector, your inner world and inner life may seem more appealing.

LIBRA | SEP 24 - OCT 23

With partnership activity stimulated, there may be a few kinks and disagreements to work through before you can make progress this week. At times you could hit up against communication problems that might not yield easily to discussion.

SCORPIO | OCT 24 - NOV 22

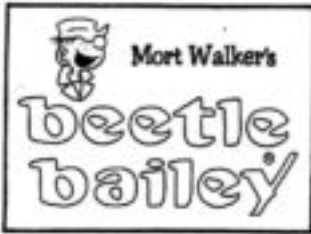
A fortunate trend provides freedom of action and the chance to showcase your skills and abilities to good effect. With a sizzling focus on career, opportunities abound for enhancing business success.

SAGITTARIUS | NOV 23 - DEC 21

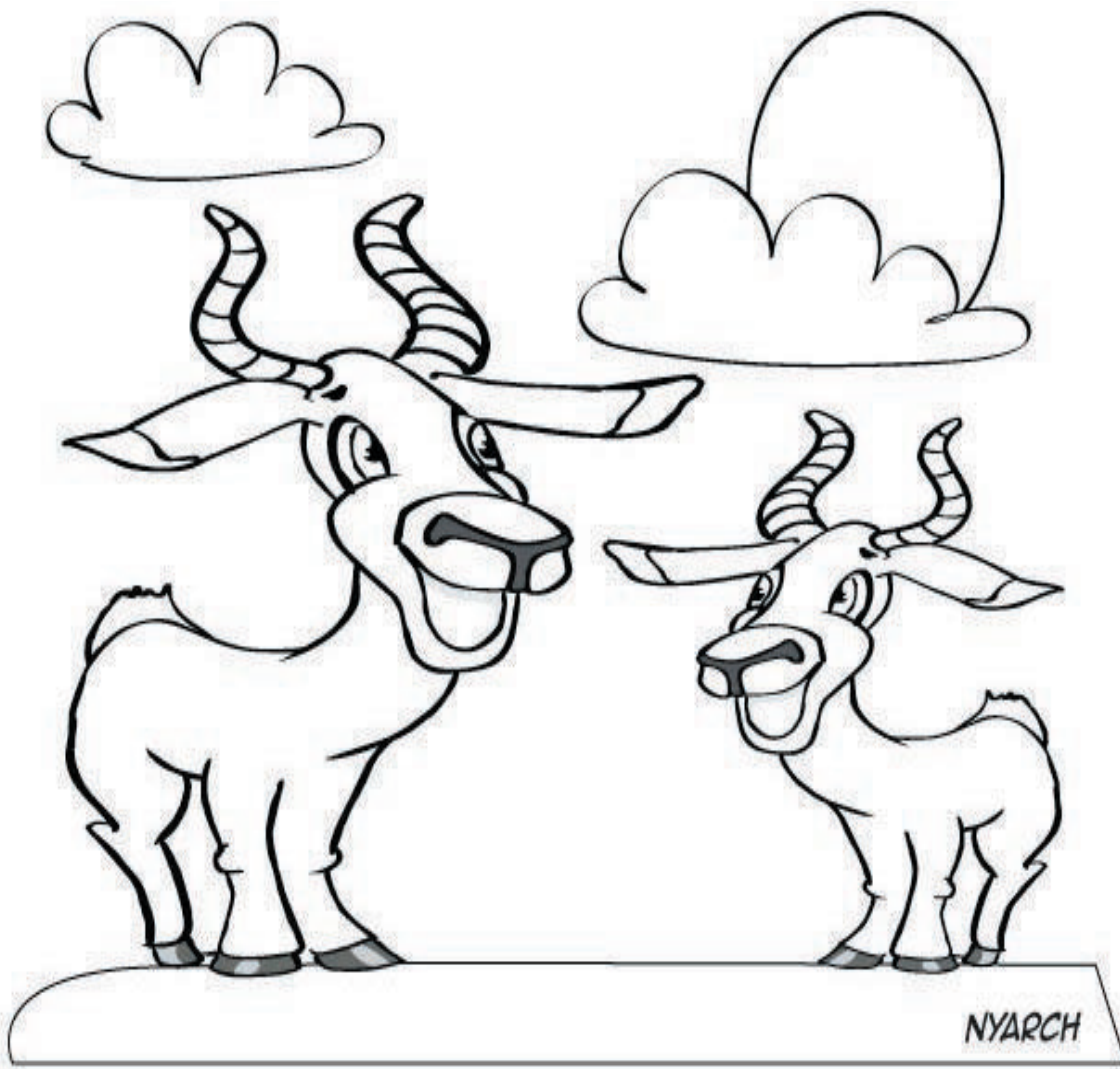
The urge to get away is strong, which could mean getting lost in a daydream, fantasy, good book, or movie. Equally, you'll be eager to travel to new places and explore new horizons.

CAPRICORN | DEC 22 - JAN 20

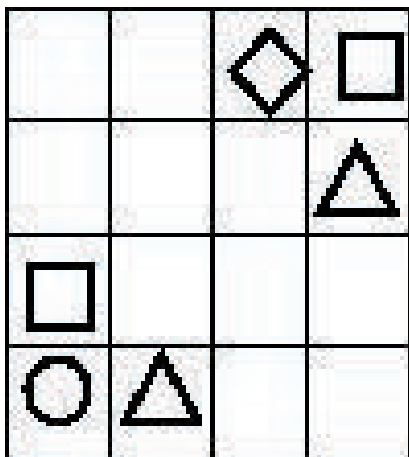
An opulent lineup in your zone of shared resources hints at a windfall or increase in income. However, there could be a temptation to indulge. It could be all too easy to max out your credit card.



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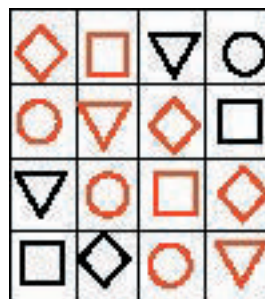
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Mzima Springs

"Five elephants on my side," I said, looking over at my little brother, Craig. "That puts me ahead, ten to four."

"It's not fair, Mom," Craig pleaded. "Dean always wins these contests because the elephants are all on his side." He looked at me. "Trade your sides."

Looking ahead, I saw a few red shapes among the baobab trees. "Sure," I said and we swapped seats. As soon as I'd sat down, I said, "Four more elephants for me."

"You cheated, Dean!" Craig said loudly, pounding on my shoulder. "Those are really on my side. I didn't mean to trade sides. I still get to count those."

"Stop fighting, you two,"

Dad ordered, braking our car to a stop by the elephants and taking out his camera. "It amazes me," he went on, "how red the elephants get here in Tsavo Game Park. I think it's because of the red soil in this area."

An elephant sucked some of the red dust into his trunk and showered it onto his back. Dad turned the car engine off so the engine vibrations wouldn't shake his lens and give him an out-of-focus picture. He didn't notice one of the elephants edging towards us.

"That elephant is coming closer," Mom said. "Start the car and let's go."

Dad smiled. "Don't worry, he's just curious." The huge elephant flapped his ears and shook his head.

"Start the car now!" Mom commanded, her voice tight. Dad turned the key. Nothing happened.

"This is no time to play games! Start the car!" Mom said, her hands tearing a piece of tissue paper into shreds.

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VOCABULARY TEST

For every word in **bold**, there are four options. Circle the word that has the same meaning as the word in **bold**

1. Cooker

- a) Stove
- b) Electronic
- c) Gas
- d) Lighter

2. Core

- a) Company
- b) Centre
- c) Seed
- d) Common

3. Correction

- a) Facility
- b) Coalition
- c) Alteration
- d) Wrong

4. Corrode

- a) Wood
- b) Metal
- c) Plastic
- d) Rust

5. Costly

- a) Expensive
- b) Goods
- c) Land
- d) Time

6. Cosy

- a) Sofa
- b) Bed
- c) Comfortable
- d) Animals

SHARON GICHERU

Answers: 1.a 2.b 3.c 4.d 5.a 6.c

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DJ Sadic performs during Bahati's *Barua za Bahati* album launch at NPC, Valley Road on Sunday, August 9, 2014.

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KENYA FASHION AWARDS GALA SHOW

The Kenya Fashion Awards Gala show will be held tomorrow at the Alliance Francaise in Nairobi. It is an exclusive Gala Night and the show starts from 6.30pm to 11.30pm. Entrance Sh2,000 (advance), Sh2,500 (gate) and Sh5,000 (VIP).

THE KOROGA FESTIVAL

The Koroga Festival "Save the Date" will be held on Sunday, August 17 at the Nairobi Aboretum. It is a reflection of Kenya's diverse local talent, alongside inviting leading artists from all over the world through arts, music, fashion and food. Entrance is Sh1,000.

BARAKA OPERA TRUST DINNER CONCERT

Baraka Opera Trust have a fund-raising concert to raise funds for their next opera project on Friday, August 22 at 157 James Gichuru Road, Nairobi. There will be music by Rhoda Ondeng Wilhelmson, Doreen Ziegler, Elizabeth Njoroge, Paul Nduati and others. Tickets Sh5,000 (inclusive of dinner).

ART EXHIBITION AND LIVE SHOW AT SANKARA

The Sankara Hotel in Nairobi will this evening host an art exhibition by Gilah Yelin Hirsch and live performance by Michel Ongaro alongside Senta Lain Band.

MOMBASA BEACH RUN

The Mombasa International Cultural Festival featuring the Mombasa Beach Run will be held on Sunday, August 17 at the Jomo Kenyatta Public Beach in Bamburi, Mombasa. The event aims to raise a profile of Mombasa as a premier beach destination. Event starts at 6am.

ART WALK 2014

Kuona Trust presents a showcase of works by emerging artists in Kenya tomorrow dubbed "Art Walk 201". There will be music, food and drinks. Event starts at 10am and ends at 5pm. Entry is free.

PLATINUM BISTRO FACE OFF NIGHT

A Hip-hop vs Dance-hall Face off is set for tomorrow at Platinum Bistro, Maasai Mall, Ongata Rongai. DJs Static and Heno will be spinning reggae and Dance hall vs the best Hip Hop, Nija and Kwaito. It will be One club, One night and crowd. Show starts at 7pm till dawn.

KANDA KING IN MACHAKOS

Popular dance sensation and singer Kanda King performs every Sunday at Machakos People's Park. On Fridays at Dajosky in Nairobi's Umoja estate, while every Wednesday he performs at the Club Leos, Thika.

SUMMER PARADISE AT G-SKYYE LOUNGE

GUAP Events presents "Summer Paradise" this evening at G-Skyye lounge in Parklands. Music by Barney Barrow, Twist, Wijje, Leeam, Veez Y, Laitif & Prefix. Guest artist will be Avril. Show starts at 6pm till dawn. Entrance Sh700.

KING LION SOUNDS' PAPA LEFTY TRIBUTE

Tomorrow its a tribute to Papa Lefty tomorrow from 2pm to 6pm at Nairobi's Club Monte Carlo on Accra Road. The family show will feature DJ King Tubbs and Papa Chally. Later evening its reggae non-stop. Meanwhile its reggae shows every Friday and Monday at the New Ravers Lounge off Duruma Road in Nairobi. Also Jamming Thursdays at Itals Club, Pangani.

FERRAGOSTO WITH VIVIAN IN MALINDI

The La Griglia Restaurant Casino in Malindi this evening hosts the talented Vivian and her Band "The Voice" of Malindi. They will be playing music from yesteryears to today! Your choice between Gala Ferragosto menu and A la Carte.

KENYA NIGHTS FRISKY DISCO 2014

The Tree House at Museum Hill hosts Kenya Nights Frisky Disco 2014 tomorrow evening. It will be night for the best of Tech House, Techno, Tribal and Disco Funk. DJ Cortega, Tom Parker, L.A. Dave, Foozak, Momo, Suraj and Allan Strange are among those to thrill revellers. Event starts at 9m.

UPTOWN REGGAE AT ICLUB

Uptown Reggae every Tuesday at the iClub on Kimathi Street Nairobi. The dub-station plays the best and cool reggae tunes all night long. mingle the humble reggae enthusiasts. The party features DJ Mantell, DJ Brownskin, VJ Chacha alongside Natty Boy. The Party never stops at iclub lounge.

BANDASON AT CLUB CASURINA

Rumba musician Igwe Prezda Bandasonn will today till Sunday perform during rumba special shows at Nairobi's Casurina Nomad Club at Buruburu Shopping Centre. He will backed by his group Patrons Musica band.

REGGAE WITH DANGER'S CREW

Tamambo Village Market, Gigiri will tomorrow host Reggae with Danger's Crew featuring Victor Muli. Shisha There will also be a special dinner to be served. Events starts at 8pm.

THE MAMBA VILLAGE, MOMBASA

Presents Croco soul every weekend

by DJ Naddy, come enjoy delicious crocodile meat and nyama choma while you take a tour of the snake park and crocodile farm housing one of the oldest reptiles all weekend.

PALMCITY RESTAURANT, MOMBASA

Sony Playstation Experience Challenge in conjunction with Palm City presents Mombasa Got Talent tomorrow from 10am to 10pm. Dancers, singers/artists, poets, performing artist, acrobats will be battling it out for the ultimate price of Sh 1 million, and Sh150,000 worth of playstation equipment. Entrance is Sh250 per head, Sh200 (advance) and Sh1,000 (VIP).

FOREVER ONE TALENT SHOWCASE

A talent show the Forever One Talent Show will be held tomorrow at Dass Restaurant in Westlands. Its theme is "Change and Unity". The last auditions were held last Saturday. Entrance is Sh400 (advance) and Sh500 (gate).

POP UP NAIROBI, SUNDAY BRUNCH

Pop-Up Brunch will be held on Sunday August 17 at Casual Bite Cafe in Westlands. The cafe will be open from 9am to 2pm. We will be offering a Ksh 1,000 brunch – a choice of 5 options. All proceeds from the day will go towards charity.

THURSDAY NIGHT LIVE

Roots International presents Thursday Night Live featuring Ziki on August 21 at Choices Pub. She specialises in Afro-fusion. Show will start at 8pm and end at 11pm. Entry is free.

RUMBA WEEKEND WITH BILENGE

Rumba fans in Nairobi can team up tonight through to Sunday at the Dream Village Restaurant in Nairobi's South B, for music by Bilinge Musica featuring Darzee Kalend. Introducing new Bilinge stage shows from 9pm.

LINET PAMBA LIVE IN KISUMU

Benga songbird Linet Aluoch Pamba will tomorrow perform at the Travellers Dream on the Kisumu-Kakamega Road, Kisumu. Pamba backed by her group Karapul Jazz band is known for the "Password", "Best of Linet" songs among others.

THE TRAVELLING FILM FESTIVAL

The Michael Joseph Centre in Westlands will this evening be the venue for Future Shorts Kenya (Free Travelling Theatre). It is the local branch of a global short film festival that creates a platform where short filmmakers showcase their works. Event starts at 6pm.



ROBIN WILLIAMS HANGED HIMSELF

According to TMZ, sources familiar with the situation have told the website that the *Mrs Doubtfire* actor — who was found dead Monday morning — took his own life by hanging himself inside the main part of his house in Tiburon, California. A suicide note, if any, is yet to be found. His publicist, however, revealed that he had been "battling severe depression of late". Robin leaves his children Zak, 31, Zelda, 25, and Cody, 23, as well as his wife of three years, Susan Schneider. "This morning, I lost my husband and my best friend, while the world lost one of its most beloved artistes and beautiful human beings. I am utterly heartbroken... it is our hope that the focus will not be on Robin's death but on the countless moments of joy and laughter he gave to millions," Susan told the *New York Times*.

Robin's daughter, Zelda, has also posted a

touching tribute to her father on Instagram, a quote from *The Little Prince* writer Antoine de Saint-Exupéry, which reads: "You — you alone have the stars as no one else has them... In one of the stars I shall be living. In one of them I shall be laughing. And so it will be as if all the stars are laughing, when you look at the sky at night. You — only you — will have stars that can laugh."

She added underneath the quotation: "I love you. I miss you. I'll try to keep looking up." Françoise

What's more, several fans have also paid tribute to the late actor at the iconic bench used in the 1997 drama movie, *Good Will Hunting*, one of his biggest films, at Boston Public Gardens in Boston. Some have left flowers at the scene, while others have scrawled some of his famous quotes from his various movie roles on the nearby pavement. Robin will be dearly missed.

RIDICULOUS NEWS: KIM KARDASHIAN WEST IS TO RELEASE A BOOK OF SELFIES

The *Keeping Up with the Kardashians* star has entitled the 352-page hardcover tome *Selfish* and it will be released by Rizzoli New York in April 2015 priced \$19.95 (Sh1,755).

Kim — who has 13-month-old daughter North with husband Kanye West — first began compiling self-taken images during a trip to Thailand with her family so she could make a "sexy"

book for her spouse and was so thrilled by the results, she decided it would be the perfect addition to her product line, which also includes clothing, beauty products, and a mobile app.

Speaking on her reality show, she said: "It ended up turning out so cool that we came up with this idea to do a book, a selfie book... and so, I'm going to make some super-racy. I mean, every girl takes

full pictures of their [rear] in the mirror ... I might share some of them."

It was recently claimed that Kim had hired a "selfie expert" to ensure that she always looked perfect in her pictures.

A source said: "Kim wants every picture to be a work of art and get millions of likes, so her selfie editor is in charge of making Kim always look flawless."

LIL' KIM HAS ASKED HER FANS TO BUY HER BABY GIFTS

The 39-year-old rapper, who is expecting her first child with fellow musician, Mr Papers, got her assistant to post a message on Twitter listing the stores where she is registered, including Tiffany & Co., Petit Tresor, Bel Bambini, Buy Buy Baby, and Babies 'R' Us.

Her PA wrote on the social networking site, "Please make sure they check off your gift from the registry after purchase. Thank u guys so much", with an address of

where to send the gifts.

The items include a \$500 Tiffany & Co. sterling silver baby beaker and a more budget-friendly Snow White bib and booties set, retailing at \$9.99, according to RadarOnline.com.

Kim's demands have been met with mixed reactions from fans, some of whom rushed to snap up items for her mini-me, while others criticised her "tacky" move.

One wrote on Instagram: "Do you

really need your fans to buy your baby shower gifts? Tacky."

The *Lady Marmalade* singer also put on a display of "diva behaviour" at her baby shower over the weekend, arriving fashionably late to the New York city venue. A source told the site: "Kim was four hours late to her own baby shower! Guests were told to arrive at 4pm, [and] she got there at 8pm. Everyone was annoyed, but it was expected of Kim to be so late."

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Najida Khan Activist giving a speech during Kings of the Arena 5 at Alliance on Friday, August 8, 2014

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21QUESTIONS » with Maureen Orwa

BRIAN ONJORO: Breathing new life into stand-up comedy



Being the funny guy has never been easy. In fact, being the funny guy in Kenya is a huge task, thanks to our apparent poor sense of humour. The mainstream comedians have resorted to regurgitating tribal and accent puns. Not Brian Onjoro. He is, like they all are in the beginning, an underdog, an underground comic who has created and continued to build his brand, making him the next stand-up comedian to watch. This is who he is.

How long have you been doing stand-up?

Since 2010... that is

four years now.

Describe yourself in three words.

Ambitious, spontaneous, and sharp.

Best gig you have ever performed at?

I opened for British comedy writer Jane Busman at The Vineyard, Westlands last year. It was the first time I got the confidence to perform in English and discovered that I can be not just a local but an international comedian.

Did you always want to be a comic?

Not really. From the age of 14, I wanted to be a rapper, but every time I performed or did rap battles, fans would tell me I had the funniest punch lines and that slowly metamorphosed into comedy performances and BAM! I became a comedian.

Do you think comedic abilities are something a person either has or does not? Or do you think it is something one can learn?

I think everyone can be funny but not everyone can be a comedian; being a comedian requires hard work, passion, patience, and intelligence, at least for me.

What process do you use to develop your stand-up comedy material?

I get my material from what I watch, read, imagine, conversations, memory — in short, I get it from life.

When was the last time you had a good hard laugh?

Yesterday... some guy told me a story about how he almost got conned because of grapes... he was like: "I thought they were friendly, they gave me grapes."

What is the most outrageous thing that has happened to you?

I do not know, but I will say the time I almost got killed by a speeding bus and after the driver stopped, I just had this silly grin on my face.

Do you earn a living from comedy or is this a side job?

I have finally figured out how to earn a living from it. It is not a side job, I am all in.

When did you know it was what you wanted to do?

In my second year at university I decided to just drop out of school and do it... I have

never felt as free as I did the day I made that decision. No regrets for me, as a matter of fact, regrets are stupid.

Were you always funny?

I was not in your face funny, but I was.

When you walk on stage, what is usually the first thing that comes to your mind, looking at the audience?

You guys are so lucky to get the chance to watch me live [laughs]. To be honest I just get the microphone, let out a sigh, then do it.

What happens if they do not laugh?

It is always awkward when they do not laugh... I just console myself that at least they listened [laughs].

Do you write your own routines?

Yes I do. I am also a very good scriptwriter.

Who are your great motivators?

Anybody who has ever had to beat great odds to make it like Jay Z, Barack Obama, Lupita Nyong'o, and others.

Do you try out your comedy in front of family and friends?

No, never! Friends and family will never be truly honest with you. I do it in front of strangers. If a stranger laughs, it is funny.

Say something funny.

In the morning I had a girl ask me if I would catch a grenade for her [Bruno mars is a liar], I told her "Hell no! Do I look like a terrorist to you. I've done more than enough, catching feelings for you and a grenade too? No can do."

Is there anything you have on your bucket list?

I do not have a bucket list but I just want to live life colossal. I do not want to be just good; I want to be great.

What is next for you? What comedy adventures do you have planned for the near future?

More shows, a movie maybe; who knows?

Anything I did not ask you, you want me to ask?

You tell me. My phone number, maybe?

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THE SKINNY ON OUR OTHER BLACK GOLD

G. God, surely, will help us see the light.

H. Your Excellency, will that be you? Where are you in this tussle? Why are you silent? You were also educated with proceeds from coffee.

I. "In this bright future, you can't forget your past." — Bob Marley.

J. Jubilee government enemies seem to be from within.

K. Kenya believe it? (Sorry, but I thought that was clever)

L. Let me break down this mess for y'all:

M. Minister guy. Ok, Cabinet secretary. But I do not want to mess up with the alphabet swag I got going, so bear with me. Minister guy, Adan Mohammed.

N. Never has a traditional Cabinet member been on the right side of anything, but I honestly expected more from Adan, fresh from the private sector.

O. Opposition from within? Really? Are y'all not on the same side when it comes to 750,000 coffee farmers?

P. Press writes about this constantly but no Adan to answer to these charges. He and his principal secretary are always unavailable for comment.

Q. Question time: I have several, Adan:

1) Why would you want to return a corrupt board to head KPCU? (Illegal elections supported by the ministry and boycotted by current board put the former board "back in charge" (the board that placed KPCU in receivership to begin with).

2) Why would you not allow farmers to be paid for their produce for the first time ever — upon delivery, instead of waiting for three months?

(A pledge by the current legal board).

3) Why would you want farmers to sell one of their assets — Wakulima House — as you have suggested, when the current legal board has already negotiated a deal with KCB that allows them to keep their assets?

4) Why would you force a board with a mandate for three years to seek re-election arbitrarily?

5) And why, Adan, won't you speak to the press?

R. Response: None — Unavailable for comment.

S. Sugar. Better than that other "S" word.

T. Trusting that we still have a government of the people, by the people, and for the people.

U. Unreasonable! Explain it to me like I am a child, Adan, why I have to get lower prices for my coffee — as I take it to exorbitant private millers — because you are being unreasonable?

V. Very rarely will I say this, but I can be a conspiracy theorist. Perhaps the enemy IS within, when it comes to the Jubilee government.

W. We will never know the wealth of water till the well runs dry.

X. Xerox me a copy of "How KPCU went back into receivership because the government screwed up!"

Y. You know what is wrong with Kenya? Good people constantly standing by and doing nothing. That is how evil reigns. Plus, living in a...

Z. ...Zoo. And letting lunatics run the asylum.

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DECIBELS OF INSANITY

A maddening cacophony is what greets you if you venture into any residence inhabited by college students. My comrades feed on crappy music played at decibels so high that it is a wonder their heads do not blow up left, right, and centre. Their music, loud enough to wake the dead, blasts out around a radius of several kilometres.

And what about when they host wild jamborees and invite their rascally drink-loving comrades over? Woe betide you if you happen to live in the same compound with any of these students. Needless to say, you will not sleep a wink that night. Instead, you will have a rough time contending with the miscreants next door shouting in sexually explicit language while gyrating to *Bedroom Bully*.

"The country is currently facing an acute energy crisis," observes my old man, Grandpa Richard. "We cannot afford to have errant young people wasting precious megawatts by gratuitously blaring out ratchet music day and night."

Did satan send you?

What galls me is the fact that my comrades, acting as though they are on strict instructions from the devil, make it their business to ruin the peace and force their tunes down the throats of innocent neighbours and passersby. Who told them we want to listen to the babel of maddening and confusing noises they call music? I know people like Grandpa Richard, who would rather listen to cats getting strangled — at least they have pitch.

Oh, and do not get me started on people who use these hands-free doohickies called earphones. Matter of fact, they have grown bigger and bigger over the years

and now comrades parade around with headphones that weigh a tonne and cover half of their faces.

They are ever tied to their phones and MP3 players like dogs on a leash. I have a feeling that before the next World Cup, most of these headphones would have been replaced by hearing aids. It is insidious and dangerous.

It is impossible to communicate with any of my comrades; they would rather die than take off their earpieces to listen to you. This is a terrible disgrace and the death of decent conversation. I suggest that they cut their headphones, shut their mouths, and just listen for a while. They just might learn something.

The whole notion of respect for seniors has been shot to hell in that comrades never even bother to take off their earpieces when being addressed by elders. If I had ever addressed Grandpa Richard with my earphones on, he would have hung me upside down using the wires and the whole of humanity would have owed him a great debt.

Split those eardrums

Is it a coincidence that all the mercurial nuggets of wisdom that Grandpa Richard and I dish out through this column appear to be falling on deaf ears? I think not.

Their ears are selectively deaf because they have been ruined by ear-splitting music which only makes them volatile, highly charged, and prone to violent explosions. They play their music too loud, that is the problem with my comrades.

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DALLIANCE DIARY

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ARRGH! WHY ALL THE NEGATIVITY?

"How is Jane? You do know the one I am talking about, she has very big boobies?" What would your reaction be if somebody asked you such a question?

Perhaps I should start from the beginning. Sometime back, I met somebody who was familiar with some people in my neighbourhood. She asked after some of them. Well, I do not have the gory details about my neighbours, but I answered her to the best of my knowledge by telling her that as far as I knew, they were all fine. It was the typical small talk until she assumed a conspirator's stance, put a sneer on her face, lowered her voice, and asked the above question.

At that point, the conversation took a very uncomfortable turn, at least for me. True, the subject has big boobies, but why did she feel the need to

add that detail, something she had not done when she asked about the others. I was a little upset with her and a quick look at her physique did not really look pleasing to the eyes; she should have been the last person to talk like that about other people. I quickly composed myself because I remembered that it is human nature to be negative about other people whenever we can. And no wonder most of us are a miserable lot!

Sometime back, I wrote about how we are all beautiful, that we would be more in love with ourselves if only we learned to concentrate on the parts that we love about ourselves. Here is another one on beauty: Generally, like the woman above, we like to describe people using what we suppose are their negative attributes — why? It could be

for a couple of reasons: One, because when we look at the negatives in other people, we reckon we feel better about our own flaws or, even better, we could ignore our own flaws and concentrate on everybody else's because, since "flaws" set people apart, it is probably easier to identify 10 people in a given area might be tall and dark, but it is

unlikely that all of them will have a hideous scar on their faces. Perhaps it would not come out so badly if we did not discuss other people's flaws so negatively.

Whatever the explanation for this behaviour, it is just wrong especially, like the woman above, when it is unnecessary. Think about it; how many times have you described someone using what you consider to be their flaws? The one with the crooked teeth? The one with skinny legs? The fat one? The one with the acne? It matters less that perhaps the owners of the flaws do not consider them as such.

Before we negatively describe people, why don't we examine our own flaws first. That way, we can empathise with others. If we feel better about our flaws, we should definitely feel better about other people's

flaws. That we are so ready to see the fault in other people only shows that we have issues with ourselves. Again, like I recommended a few weeks ago, we should stand opposite our mirror reflections to stare our flaws away. We should see other people's flaws through our eyes and see them as beautiful.

None of us is perfection itself, but we are at liberty to turn ourselves into perfection using the power of thought. If you mix that with arrogance, if you are on a high horse and everybody else is beneath you, you are getting it all wrong. Next time you are describing someone, try using what you reckon are their best features.

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IF YOU ARE ON A HIGH HORSE AND EVERYBODY ELSE IS BENEATH YOU, YOU'RE GETTING IT ALL WRONG."

Anto Neo Soul, surrounded by a bevy of beauties, poses for snap during the first Anniversary of Barbecue Live which took place at the Nairobi Arboretum on August 9, 2014.
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AND HE DOES IT AGAIN !

GOSPEL ARTISTE BAHATI LAUNCHED HIS FIRST ALBUM, *BARUA ZA BAHATI*, AT NPC VALLEY ROAD
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Dr Ofweneke



Ruth Matete and the crowd are feeling this artiste.



Bahati

BARBECUE LIVE



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1. It is selfie time, Miley Cyrus style. Let the tongues hang out.
2. These beauties have mastered the art of not feeling cold even when it is below 15 degrees. How do they do it?
3. Friends, lovers or nothing, as John Mayer would say.

4. Shaffie and his core MC making some strange finger signage. That might mean peace here, but if the Martians see it, they might take it to mean "ATTACK!"

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KINGS OF THE ARENA 5

SARABI ARE ON FIRE! AT ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE DE NAIROBI LAST FRIDAY, THEY, TOGETHER WITH POETS, ACTIVISTS, AND FELLOW MUSICIANS, BROUGHT THE HOUSE DOWN AT THEIR MONTHLY EVENT, **KINGS OF THE ARENA**.

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All-girl trio, Kiu



Sarabi frontman Mandela (centre) dances with fans on stage



Bien Aime Baraza, Delvin Mudigi Savara, Cece Sagini, and Polycarp Otieno.



DID YOU KNOW? Performing (or Performance) art, like music, has evolved and been broken down to several genres, each of which would, to the keener enthusiasts, have very distinct peculiarities. To the rest of us, it might seem like nonsense, a total waste of time. So if we do not get it, what should we do? Here is a clue: Ask yourself why an artiste

SWOYIA KYAMBI HAS A KNACK FOR BRINGING FROWNS TO PEOPLE'S FACES. HER NEW PLAY, *BETWEEN US*, CHALLENGES VIEWERS' PERCEPTIONS AND AWAKENS EVEN THE MOST DORMANT

She was afraid no one would show up. It is, after all, a new form of art she was about to introduce at the GoDown Arts Centre. That was last month. Today, Syowia Kyambi is a happy artiste, and here is why.

The play — or better yet, the installation — was nothing short of peculiar: the male performers were bare-chested, the women wore lingerie. The performance itself was even stranger. Why were the performers just quietly hanging panties on a line inside the theatre? Nobody saw them speak or communicate in any organised manner. Might the scriptwriter have forgotten to give them their lines?

The play, dubbed *Between Us*, did not seem to take any traditional protagonist-antagonist roles, as expected in theatre.

The uncertainty, Syowia said, indicated that her goal as an artiste had been achieved.

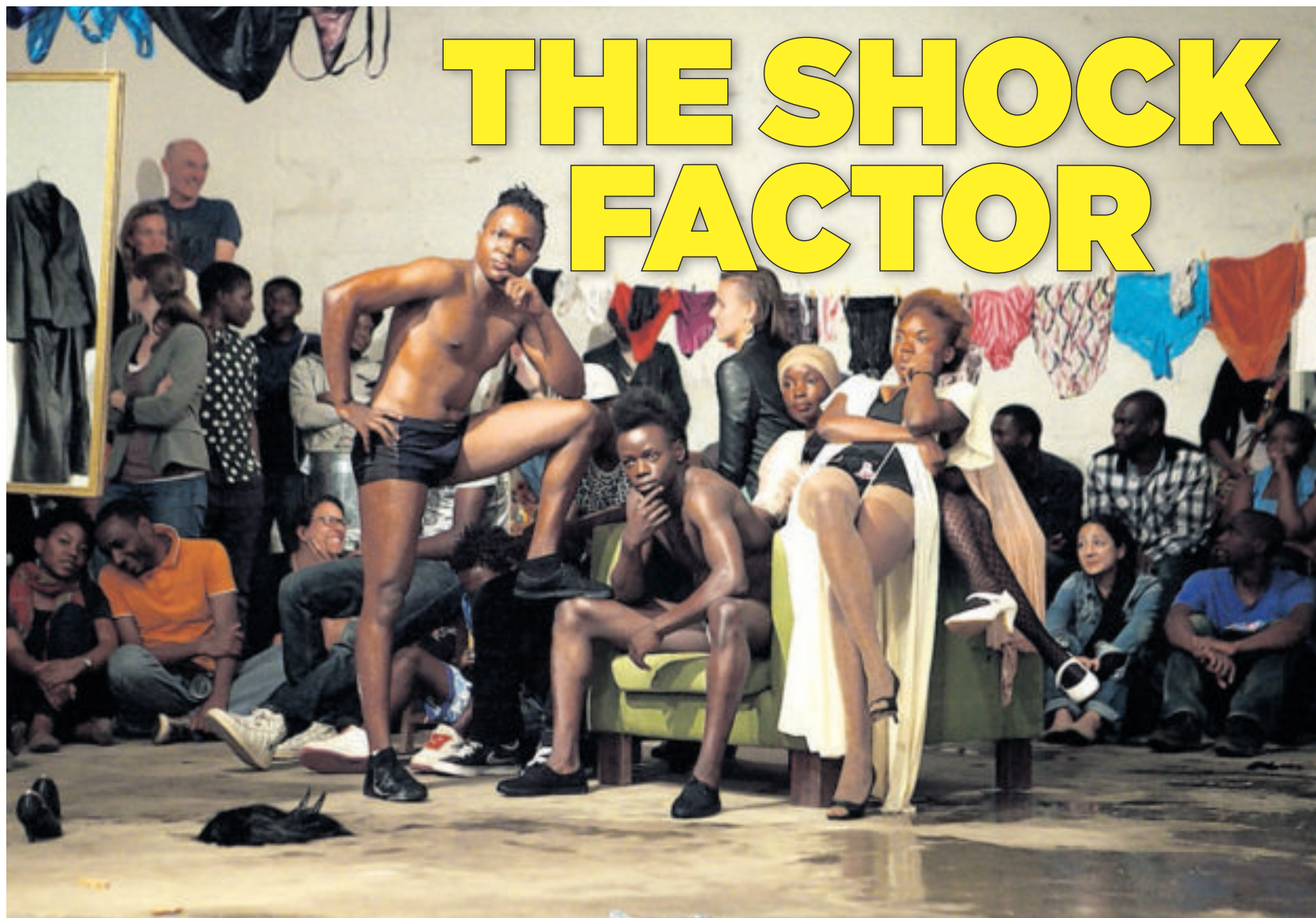
"There was no script", she said, explaining that the actors — whom she says should be called "interprants" — knew only that the play was approaching its closure when they saw the male interprants wear white overalls and walk towards the exit of the auditorium.

How does a performer act without a form, a script?

"I had interacted with them during the rehearsal, so I had gathered some raw information on who they were as persons," Syowia explained. "So I knew that they could put flesh to the skeleton that I had given them and interpret it as they wished."

That 136 people paid Sh1,000 as entry fees to the installation amazed her. This form of art is still at the teething stage in Kenyan theatre. And this is not her first installation; she has had others in Finland, Belgium, Mali, Mexico, South Africa, and the US.

"It was a pleasant surprise but I should not be entirely awed because Kenya has had a history of art being part of our everyday life", she said, add-



ing: "No one has ever taken time to record the art in us, but everything we do — circumcision, baptism, naming — it is all art. We love art."

Throughout the performance at the GoDown, the audience was both perplexed and curious. That, Syowia said, was understandable.

Clad in lingerie, the three women would wash underwear and absent-mindedly hang it on a line, silent. Completely immersed in their own activities, not noticing the other performers.

One of them would be standing in the corner gazing at herself in a mirror suspended from the roof. The other would be pouring soapy water on the floor, completely apathetic to the fact that there were people seated nearby, watching her.

A little black puppy lying at the feet of its owner was caught by the soapy shower and ran out howling.

Undistracted by the upset puppy and its owner, the third woman would be enraged at an unknown object and would react by picking up a pile of wet clothes on the floor, throwing them up and down, and a brassiere would land on the face of a man in the audience. Suddenly, the pin-drop silence would break into thunderous

MOST PEOPLE THINK KENYANS ARE CONSERVATIVE AND CLOSED IN, YET KENYAN WOMEN DONATED THEIR UNDERWEAR."

— SWOIYA KYAMBI

laughter.

Amid the organised chaos by the women, the spectacle is made more peculiar by the three male interprants clad in underwear, which visibly enhanced their lean physique. The men would be lying on the cold floor. One of them would stand up and begin dancing and gyrating.

The other would wear a white overall, pick up a brush, and scrub the floor vigorously.

The other, still mostly naked, would come and stand in front of a middle-aged woman and stare right into her eyes without blinking for about three minutes.

Even though she is a graduate of fine arts from the prestigious Art Institute of Chicago in America, Syowia sought the help of heavyweights in the Kenyan theatre.

These included James Mweu, a well-travelled professional dancer and visual artiste who is also the director of Kunja

Dance Theatre.

James is also a lecturer at the Technical University of Kenya's arts department.

Apart from being part of the cast, James choreographed the play.

Even then, Syowia was not certain about the attendance because the poster alone had generated a lot of furore in social media over whether it is moral in acting or not.

But why the mirrors, the wet panties dripping on the floor. Why no script? She wanted to get people to explore the topic of what is "taboo", yet not confine them to one particular interpretation in their discussion.

"Like the underwear, many years ago our grandmothers did not have it, now we do and a lot of mystery surrounds it such that we cover it when we hang it outside... when did we start using it and why is it such a taboo that it has to be covered?" she asked.

Syowia, who is of Kenyan and German descent, says

that many people in Kenya like making assumptions, a fact that she says was challenged in her by people's reaction to her play.

"Most people think Kenyans are conservative and closed in, yet Kenyan women donated their underwear for me to have enough to fill a clothes line in the theatre," she explained.

As she had planned, many of the attendants had diverse interpretations of the performance.

Faith, a student from Nairobi University, said the play highlighted the gender disparities in the Kenyan setup. "The women were working, and even in their domestic chores they took time to wear makeup and wear lingerie and all that, showing that women will always be expected to look beautiful regardless of the circumstances in which they live.

"The men are trying to challenge the stereotype that the woman should wash and clean. They do not do it perfectly because they would be asleep as the women worked and then they would wake to try cleaning and they would be clumsy, spilling water on everyone.... They even had to wear protective devices to do the job that women do every day with their

bare hands, showing that men are not only clumsy at trying to fit into women's role, they want to make a big deal of it," she said.

James Mweu, Syowia's partner, thought the play depicted capitalism in society — the men cleaning without caring who they splashed water on and how careless they were. James said he observed the capitalism attitude that one has to get the job done regardless of who they hurt or offend.

"The overalls illustrated the superficiality that capitalism has placed on us where people act, dress, and play their role in society," he said.

Syowia had planned this for more than five years and now that she has discovered that Kenyans are open to new forms of visual art, she will stage other installations later in the year.

She only hopes that Kenyan artistes will realise that their craft is not limited to theatre.

"There are several ways that artistes in Kenya can explore to make money and get grants and funding. They just have to take the risk."

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would put themselves out there like that. Why would they risk ridicule, outright discouragement, and very public failure? If you start to think of reasons why, you will realise that you have found yourself in such situations. Why did you do it? You had something to say that would impact someone, anyone, everyone.

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HONEY, YOU SHRUNK THE KIDS!



There was a story recently of a man who apparently woke up and found his manhood missing. The man from Embu did what most married men do; blame his wife.

The father-of-four claimed that his wife had bewitched him, prompting his private parts to recede into his body and causing him to lose his potency and have a protruding stomach.

The man, whom we shall call Muriithi, because that is his real name, even lowered his trousers to the pub-

lic and the media to display the shrivelled organs that he said were a pale shadow of their former glory when he performed normally.

Now, this is where it gets interesting. A neighbour said everybody had tried all they could to help him regain his sexual organs but that their efforts were in vain. Now, how did she try to help this man?

Did he ask her to scour his house and see if it had fallen on the floor and rolled under the bed? You know that usually happens when you drop something and it launches itself to the farthest point.

Did he ask her to search his wife and the witchdoctor for his missing spare parts? How did he choose her? Was she the most trusted person he could get in his village? Not even his drinking buddies? He must really trust her.

I am not casting aspersions here. I am just wondering why this particular neighbour was the chosen one and why she was so bold as to even tell the media that she had helped the man try to regain his not-so-private parts.

And his wife, why was she to blame? If it is indeed true that she had bewitched him, this will go down as the one time a woman has done something to affect her husband's bedroom skills.

There are places where women are praying for their husbands to get back their mojo because of too much illicit brew. Yes, I am looking at you, Nyeri.

What this woman in Embu did was — to paraphrase an old Kikuyu saying — is “show God her tummy”. That line is used practically on every child who refuses to eat and the parents try to guilt trip them into finishing their vegetables.

But what were her motives? How many want to argue that it does not have anything to do with the Good Samaritan neighbour? Oh wow, everybody agrees with me?

I have more questions: What was he doing when he realised that his “things” were missing? Was he on his farm when he wondered why, despite taking 10 litres of water he did not have any urge to go pee? Was he scratching himself when he realised that

he was scratching his thighs?

On a scale of one to I-would-rather-have-Ebola, how freaked out do you think he was? I do not know about you but, I think he is a strong man because he even had the courage to call the media.

But, let us be real. The dude's things are still there, they are just not working. He probably had gone to the neighbour and the engine refused to start and she probably enquired what was wrong, he had to come up with a line and what better line than to blame your wife?

The good thing for him is that she believed him and even helped him look for the “lost” things. It is good to be daft sometimes, right?

But I hear the villagers wanted to lynch his wife, which makes me wonder, was the guy's lie that major or did he have enough *clandes* who believed his story and now will have to go on with their lives knowing that Muriithi will not be knocking on their doors any more?

Muriithi earns the Lie of the Year award for that one. Well played, dude.

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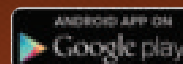
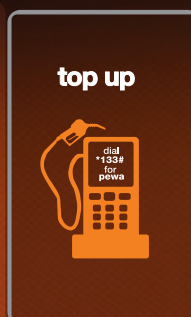
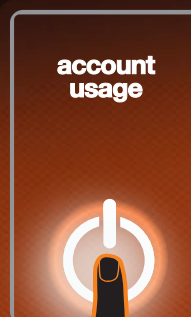
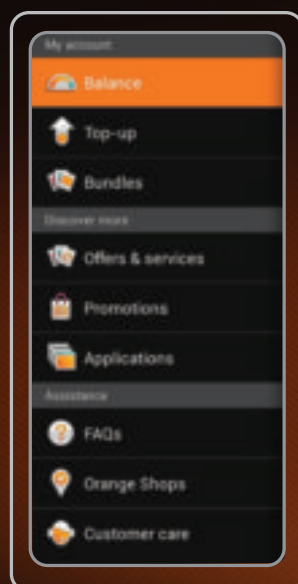
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As an actor, he was brilliant. I mostly watched him on stage acting in plays with FCA, and whenever I wrote reviews, he always stood out. He was quite versatile, taking up different roles with ease... his off-stage demeanour was also quite welcoming for an actor who has been here for years — GERALD LANGIRI, ACTOR

Rock n Roll is an emotion

ROCKER

sam kiranga

It was a cold busy night in Meru when fellow entertainment writers and I went to attend the *Niko na Safaricom Live* concert two years ago. This was also my first time ever in Meru and I was feeling adventurous. Of course, there was not a single rock band playing at the concert and I was just curious to see what it is that these gigs do to draw such a large crowd.

The event had an amazing set up. Giant bass speakers had been lined up below the stage and a tall mid-range setup stood on each side of it to create a wall of sound that you could not escape for a mile's radius. The event charged an entrance fee of Sh100, so there was no excuse for missing out. In addition to this, they had the most popular artistes at that time including Camp Mulla, Wyre, Size 8, Jaguar, and Mike Rua performing at the show. Yes, I said Mike Rua because this guy's

performance made me remember what it means to be a rock star.

When Mike Rua stepped on the stage, it was evident that the crowd was eager for a wild show.

He was welcomed by abundant screams and shouts from the humble denizens of Meru town, yet he seemed absolutely calm and in control of the situation. He only had a drummer to back him up and that was more than a one-man guitar can ask for. His music had a certain funky Rolling Stones vibe to it even though the lyrics were a serving of heavy vernacular. Eventually, I could not help but nod my head to it. I did not even care about the obscenities he was spewing in the random breaks between verses.

As he played, he kept a straight face. He never smiled once. And when he knew he had worked the crowd to a frenzy, he calmly looked back at his drummer with an expression that said "Are you sure these guys are ready for us?" He knew he owned the show.

That concert took me back to an event I had played at once. This was the annual *Ramps and Amps* concert where I filled in as a guitarist for Narcissistic Tendencies. We had practised a lot for this gig and the plan was to rock people out of their senses. With Shin Kyouketsuki as our vocalist we knew some magic was going to happen. Shin has a crazy act on stage where he would fling his blow-dried hair back

and forth and make some insane Maasai jumps as he sang. At the end, he would drop the microphone recklessly on the floor as if it was not worth anything. William, our lead guitarist, liked to spread his knees as far apart as possible while playing, like Metallica's Robert Trujillo, and he would put on a menacing face too. As for me, I was trying out a nu-metal look (Linkin Park) with an untucked shirt, buttoned right up to the collar while looking distractedly at the sky.

That day our combined acts tore down the stage. As I looked back at the crowd before us, I knew we had stolen the show, not just from the fast-paced punk songs we played but because of the energy we put into those bones with our stage presence. It was an emotion of fearlessness, adventure, and power. It was an experience I would pay to have all over again.

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SO LONG, DERRICK...

It has been a bad three weeks for Kenya's acting fraternity. First, Jastorina died on the day she should have been celebrating her Kalasha success. Before people had recovered, reports of the mysterious death of acting veteran Derrick Amunga hit the headlines.

Many people will remember Derrick Amunga for his convincing roles as Master Sugu in the '90s hit TV drama, *Tausi*, and more recently in *Uhondo* and *Tahidi High*, among others. But perhaps where Derrick will be most missed is in the theatre fraternity, a fraternity he has helped to gain the popularity it is enjoying at the moment.

Since 2005, he has been a notable presence at the Festival of Creative Arts (FCA), both as a director and an actor. He directed and starred in FCA's blockbuster play, *Trapped*, three weeks ago and before his demise, was directing the September comedy show, *Forbidden*, as well as being scheduled to work on their October show, *It's back!* Derrick was known for convincingly playing multiple characters in the same play without mixing his lines.

He is the principal character in a yet-to-be-aired television drama, *The Blessing*, sort of re-enacting the character that brought him to the attention of television viewers. He was to play a mafia boss, a more mature role from his Master Sugu, who was the head of street boys.

Shem Agunga, a close friend of the 42-year-old Derrick, appears to have been the last person to talk to him. Derrick left home on Friday, 25 July, but days later, none of his friends or relatives had heard anything about him. A search led family and friends to Kenyatta National Hospital. A postmortem is yet to reveal the exact cause of



death, but some reports indicate that he might have been a hit-and-run victim. He was found by a good Samaritan lying in a ditch with no phone or identification. The police took him to Kenyatta National Hospital's ICU but Derrick succumbed to his injuries.

An artistes' committee led by Festival of Creative Arts (Kenya) director Eliud Abuto has been formed to organise and plan the burial, which will take place on 16 August, 2014 at his rural home in Kakamega.

Befittingly, the *Churchill Show* will hold a special tribute show for Derrick and several other deceased brothers and sisters in the industry. Perhaps so people know exactly where Derrick started, the cast of the '90s show, *Tausi*, will be at the live recording at the Carnivore.

Tribute from a close friends and colleagues:

— Shem Odhiambo: That guy was just the epitome of art. This guy just looked like a mafia, but beneath the terrorist look was a calm, loving, and comical gentleman

— Nato Xavier: His ability to change roles is unmatched, he could convince you he was a doctor, a student, a priest...

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ASK CINDY

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Dear Cindy,
I am a 19-year-old hunk but whenever I try getting close to a girl, they more or less have the same line for me: "You are a really nice guy, you've got the looks and quite an athletic body and I wouldn't get into anything serious with you because I don't want to ever hurt you." They then end up being the latest addition to my never-ending list of BFFs. I do not really get this, is being too good the problem? Why does EVERYONE want to be my friend yet nobody wants to love me? Why do they all use the same "good guy" line,

anyway?
Joel

You succeed in making me feel really sorry for you. Now, whoever heard of a handsome guy who cannot find a woman to date, eh? But there might be a problem. Women are generally afraid of dating very handsome men because they reckon it is too much trouble keeping other women away from him. The less competition for a woman, the happier she is. But do not worry, there is hope. Among your BFFs, surely there is one girl you really, really love? Tell her how you feel, ask for a

chance, but you also need to have behaved yourself in front of her because if you keep trying to get every girl, you will not be convincing as a guy in love. Concentrate and do not try to be the bad guy because if you are not naturally one, you will make a terrible bad guy. Have faith that the right girl is out there somewhere waiting for you. All the best.

Dear Cindy,
I loved my girlfriend very much but she left me for someone else. She would not pick my calls or return texts. Recently, she called to tell me that the

man she thought she loved has left her, that she is four months pregnant, and that she wants me back. She is waiting for my answer. I am bothered and I do not know what to tell her.
Joseph

What a lovely guy you are, even wondering what to tell her. I know many people who would have very colourful labels for your ex-girlfriend, none of them pretty. But seriously, I hope you are not considering taking her back unless you really are a sucker for punishment. What is happening here is that she knows you loved her and she

needs help with the coming baby. You are the guy available, basically because of your feelings for her. I am not saying it is wrong to look after children that you did not sire, but you need to do it because you really want to, not because somebody is using you. And just so you know, if you take her back, and then the father of the baby decides to come back, you will be left in the jungle again. Tell her you are not ready to give an answer at the moment, then run — that woman just does not love you. All the best.

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TIME TO WORK IT OUT

A MOMENT ON THE LIPS,
A LIFETIME ON THE HIPS
IS NOT A PHILOSOPHY
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WANTS TO LIVE BY.
CALISTHENICS COULD
BE

For a girl whose dietary motto has long been summed up in five words — when in doubt eat bread — you can imagine how daunting the task of working off that bread seemed. This was because last week, I decided to suck in my stomach and begin my long-postponed exercise regime. It was inspired in part by a dream in which a skipping rope seductively danced before my eyes, practically begging me to use it, as well as the fact that my body is as stiff as an ironing board. Suffice it to say that I longed for my old body, which was capable of making fluid movements and, you know, singing like a choir of angels whenever I was able to do the very hard task of touching my toes without bending my knees. Thus it began.

On day one I nearly coughed out my lungs, could only manage eighty moderately timed skips in one go, and gave up trying to do sit-ups after the first one. On day two I managed more skips, some sit-ups, and even squats. Day three saw me so stiff that getting on and off the City Shuttle on the way home from town made me feel like a bound mummy trying to do the twist, the whole while, a hissing conductor and impatient

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passengers breathing down my neck. It took all I had not to make like Fat Joe and remind them of his immortally wise words. *Lean back, fools.*

If anything, this past week has proved that physical exercise is, well, an exercise. Happily, I can officially log in my one week report by saying that I already feel great!

Lazy punk

My chest is clear, my legs can stretch a wee bit further than they did at the beginning, which means that the fantasy of me doing a full split is could be fulfilled (give or take a few years), and somewhere inside I am sure my white blood cells are flexing their muscles thinking, "Well, it is about time, you lazy punk!"

Yet it is not only the physical benefits of exercising that I am coming to appreciate, but the emotional ones as well. For someone

who spends much of her time sitting in front of a computer, working out comes as a relief. There is something about sitting down for too long that makes the world seem a little loopy. In fact, studies have shown that workers who sit at their desks for as long as seven hours are more likely to get depressed, not because of sitting, but because of the lack of physical activity.

It is no wonder then that office workers bask in their one hour or so lunch break because that way, you can jump, pull up your trousers, and dance a little *lingala* or walk downstairs to hit on the credit lady; as long as it makes you forget that you have to go back into your hell hole for at least three more hours and thereafter resume hating your life.

When it comes to understanding this concept, the Japanese have it down to an art. Literally. The word *karoshi* means death from overwork whereas *karoji-satsu* means suicide from overwork. When people have words to describe these conditions, then you know how thick things are. It is due to this that Japanese companies are known to encourage routine group exercises.

They even broadcast early morning radio calisthenics, or *raiyo taiso*, which a surprisingly large part of the population participates in so as to get their daily fitness fix. Those peeps mean business.

In short, physical fitness is good. You know — healthy, wealthy, wise, and all that jazz. Week two is upon me and since it apparently takes 21 days to make a habit, I have my fingers crossed! What I can say is that the dream is legs of steel. Maybe if I say it enough it will become a reality. Legs of steel. Legs of steel. Legs of steel. Or as *Naruto's* Guy Sensei puts it: Time to do squats in the springtime of youth!

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GOOGLE'S NEXT NEXUS?

Google has not confirmed that it has this specific new tablet in the works, but it has been long rumoured. This tablet apparently has multiple identities and even multiple specifications. So far, it has been called the Nexus 8, the Flounder, the Volantis, and even the HTC 1, yet Google is declining to talk about it, which action, or lack thereof, betrays the possibilities. For one, Google dramatically dropped the price of the Nexus 7, knowing well that this would drive up speculation about a new device.

Secondly, Google has talked about the Tango, which shares a remarkable architecture with this one, except that there are features that do not quite make this the Tango.

However, if the rumour mill is right, come August 19, Google will be introducing a new Nexus, and if anything below is true, Google has come seriously prepared. Google's Project Tango possesses a lot of overkill and since Google figures that will do, even this features a lot of overkill.

Similar to the Tango, this also runs the Tegra K1 processor,

which is tied to 4GB RAM and, in true Google fashion, comes with 16GB or 32GB storage, which is a far cry from the 128GB on the Tango. At the back, there is an 8MP camera and a 1.2MP camera at the front. It has an 8.9 inch display that has a 2048 x 1440 pixel resolution. If the device is being built by HTC, or is the HTC 1, then it is definitely coming with an aluminium housing, the way HTC likes to deliver them. For a device of this calibre, going plastic simply will not do.

So, why are we talking about a device that, according to the manufacturers, does not exist? One, this will likely be Google's first Android L device or at least its first Android L tablet, and with Google stressing how Android L will change the future,

this will literally show us what direction Google is leaning when it comes to mobile computing.

Then there is the 64 bit processor. Windows Surface tablets proved that sheer power could literally make a tablet a proper workhorse, something the iPad never really quite got right. Despite that push, the Surface has not changed

Microsoft's fortunes, but the case for powerful tablets has been made, and this is Google's first real counter. The K1 inside this tablet is monstrous and while Google will obviously want you to keep Android on it, it will also likely support Mozilla's Firefox OS and Ubuntu Touch, so in essence, Google could be making a competitor the ideal hardware they need to boost themselves.

You can expect LTE, NFC, GPS, Bluetooth, and the latest WiFi.

Then there is the actual case of Android L. It will come with 5,000 application

programming interfaces (APIs), meaning developers have at least 5,000 potentially new ways of making people get more tired of apps. That aside, Android L is supposed to be slimmer and acutely smarter than previous Androids, and one of its key features will be the contextual awareness of its surroundings. That said, it will also mean that one of the key inputs of this device will be audio, like the Tango. Android L could also be a good push for Android to bolster its enterprise abilities. However, this version of Android L will not have the Sense UI, meaning that HTC might be purely in this for the hardware story, letting Google handle the branding.

By description, this is bound to be a superb platform. By all accounts and despite Google ignoring the issue, this device and its imminent debut sound very legitimate. The specifications make this a superb game-changer for Google. Commercially, it should be available around October and if you are saving up for a tablet, this could make your Christmas very happy.

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TECH IN BRIEF

XIAOMI'S HAS A NEW PHABLET

In China, Xiaomi is officially bigger than Samsung when it comes to pushing devices. Maybe Chinese patriotism is at

an all-time high or maybe a Chinese manufacturer understands the market; only they know. Xiaomi is not letting the opportunity slip by and now there is the 4G Redmi Note Phablet, Xiaomi's 4G catchup device. It is on a Qualcomm Snapdragon 400 that clocks it at around 1.6 GHz tied to 2 GB of RAM, all underneath a handsome 5.5 inch HD display. Xiaomi has opted for a single 13MP rear camera as well as a monstrous 3100 mAH battery that slides it into 24 hours. The impressive bit is that this is a budget phone that costs Sh14,000 with some high-end specifications. Xiaomi has not talked about shipping this phone outside China, but it looks perfect for developing countries.



SNIPP3T, MICROSOFT'S NEW IOS APP

Microsoft seems genuinely conflicted about what they want. A few weeks ago, they killed their non-Lumia product lines after Satya Nadella deemed it important that they all toe the Lumia line. A few weeks later, Microsoft has introduced Snipp3t, an iOS app that lets you stalk celebrities.

Snipp3t basically allows the users to keep up with the latest celebrity news. It is actually a cut down version of Bing, the search engine, with filters for celebrity news. Though still young, Snipp3t looks as if it is going to be a big hit, except in Microsoft's case, there has not been a hint of when the app is coming to Android or even Lumia. It is currently available for free at the iTunes appstore.



ALIENWARE'S 13: THE NEW HUSH-HUSH HARDWARE

To take on the Razer Blade, Alienware is not even allowing a little bit of superstition to come in between them and their new

gaming laptop, the 13. The laptop, designated for gaming, sports an NVIDIA GeForce GTX 860M graphics card, attached to any Haswell Core i processor of your choice, though the i3 will not be available at launch, with RAM going up to 16 GB. The 13-inch display will support Quad HD (2560x1440) and will come with a touch screen option. To keep the heat and power consumption down, the processors are expected to be low voltage attached to two copper heat sinks with fans, allowing it to run for eight hours while watching movies. Pricing has not yet been announced but it is expected to cost around \$2,000 (Sh175,810) a unit with full options.



YAHOO AND GOOGLE TEAM UP TO ENCRYPT MAIL

Nobody has forgotten the privacy violation that the National Security Agency (NSA) put the entire world through in the name of fighting terrorism. However, since that trust was breached, companies are taking data encryption seriously, and in this case, even enemies are joining forces to

ensure that consumer data remains private. Yahoo and Google are teaming up to offer end-to-end encryption of their email service in a joint effort to ensure that their customer data remains private and encrypted as it is transmitted. Surprisingly, in Kenya, the National Assembly decided to drop a controversial proposed law that would have allowed security agencies to spy on any single person without needing a court order after it was deemed to violate the Constitution.



THE MOVIE: NEIGHBOURS RATING: 8/10



Category: Comedy

Release Date: 9 May, 2014

Length: 1 hour 37 minutes

Director: Nicholas Stoller

Main Actors:

Seth Rogen as Mac Radner

Rose Byrne as Kelly Radner

Zac Efron as Teddy Sanders

Dave Franco as Pete Regazolli

If you live in the concrete jungle we call Nairobi, then you have probably experienced the “Bad Neighbour” dilemma enough times. This is that neighbour who thinks it is a great idea to transform his living room into a *matatu* through a booming surround sound music system.

The movie *Neighbours* takes this whole nuance to a new level where things get uglier than you would expect. Mac and Kelly are a young couple whose tranquil life is disrupted when a college fraternity moves in next door. They make plans to take charge of the

situation and befriend their new neighbours in order to maintain the peace. However, they soon find themselves playing to the frat house’s rules instead of their own.

The drama in *Neighbours* is thoroughly amplified for comical effect. However, was not expecting any less from a Seth Rogen movie. Rogen’s has always been the “teen-ager in an adult’s body” kind of role. Zac Efron, on the other hand, plays Teddy Sander by brilliantly emulating the college bully to a tee.

It is a much more mature role than what we have seen him execute in the past and a clear sign of progress from high school panache into college reticence. On a general scale, *Neighbours* plays out like many past teen comedy films that have made it big at the box office (*Project X*, *Not Another Teen Movie*) by featuring wild house party scenes and episodes of lewd farce.

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THE GAMER: GOAT SIMULATOR

VIDEO GAME: GOAT SIMULATOR
RATING: 7/10

The title depicts the content of this video: You play as a goat. To many gaming critics, this release was a thumping fail and an absolute waste of time and money. It is a matte product with no storyline worth writing home about.

It is all about perspective if you want to purchase *Goat Simulator*. Graphically, it is atrocious. Playing it feels like a superfluous expedition back into time when all we had was two-dimensional PC games and cartridges. Its theme is destroying things in the old-fashioned farmers’ settlement you live in. So, is there anything good about this game?

For one, you play as a goat. There is something abnormally gratifying

about playing as a goat, gingerly sauntering in the fields and feeding on pastures. You get points for how much havoc you can wreak, as a goat, in the little town. You can head-butt people off buildings and break up campaign meetings with some well-horned tricks. If a truck rolls over you the better: More points.

The game does have some missions which include goofy errands such as bleating and finding some amazing hidden treasures which help unlock certain facets of this game such as the incredibly entertaining but out-of-control jetpack. Lastly, even though there is very little to savour in the detail of this game, the bugs are so funny and add to the pleasurable nature of the overall product. The fact that your goat cannot die in this video game leaves you with nothing to lose.

By Issa Khalid @Issa_Khalid

MUSIC VIDEO: BARUA YA DUNIA

SONG: BARUA YA DUNIA

ARTIST: ELANI

RATING: 9/10

Everything about this song — from the soulful beat and underlying lyrics to their undemanding yet naturally gifted voices — makes this trio irrefutably the best in the Kenyan music industry today. Their music has transcended mediocrity without selling out to the over-sexualised, over-materialised standards we have come to learn to live with. The message is one of karma and, indeed, how everything works out in the end.

This is by far their best video yet in terms of its superlative quality. Right from the onset, Brian, sitting in a dark room with only a lamp on, deep in thought and dressed in smart-casual attire, Wambui’s white dress and frilly locks, not to mention Maureen’s stunning new look — everything oozes class. Interesting to note was the hues of colour and how perfectly they were set up. Generally, the video has



a faint scheme to it, but notably, in each scene the shades vary in intensity setting the table for each scene to trickle its message unhindered.

The best aspect about this video is definitely the play-acting and everything that went into really bringing out the message. There is the egocentric man,

abusive to his girlfriend because of money. Later we see a man who is insensitive to his wife because she cannot conceive only to later find out that he was the problem. Then there is the vindictive boss sexually abusing his female employee only to seek a job from her later on. The video adequately projects this profound, powerful, and linear message. Elani can do no wrong at the moment and this song is just another memento of their success. This is a splendid video well worth checking out.

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SERIES: CRISIS

Action/Thriller

Viewer rating: PG 14 (VL)
8/10

Ballard High School is an exclusive school in Washington DC where the elite members of society take their children — from business moguls to diplomats and even the president of the United States. During a bus trip to New York, the entourage, including Secret Service agents who were accompanying the president’s son, are ambushed.

On his first day of his assignment to accompany the president’s son, Kyle Devore (Adam Scott Miller), rookie Secret Service Agent Marcus Finley (Lance Gross) is thrown in at the deep end as his superior and partner for the day, Agent Albert Hurst (David Andrews), shoots him during the kidnapping of the high school



teens.

Marcus eventually gets away, taking with him Anton Roth (Joshua Erenberg), the son of Morgan Roth (John Henry Canavan), a scientist working at a television satellite company.

As soon as the attack is flagged, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) takes the lead and its director, William Olsen (Michael Beach), puts Agent Susie Dunn (Rachael Taylor) in charge. Despite the fact

that her sister, Meg Fitch (Gillian Anderson), who owns a multi-billion dollar IT company, has a daughter among the kidnapped, they are hardly on speaking terms.

It turns out that the whole plot was hatched by Francis Gibson (Dermot Mulroney), an ex-CIA analyst who was betrayed by the government and a parent of one of the children in the school with whom he has a strained relationship — Beth Ann Gibson (Stevie Lynn

Jones), who is on scholarship at the school. To save their children, the parents are ordered to perform tasks specific to their line of business within four days or suffer dire consequences that may include the death of their children.

The show was cancelled mid-way through the first season by NBC, but the season had already been shot to completion so they screened it all. It has a lot of violent scenes and some slightly gory ones, including severed limbs that justify the age rating.

The intrigues, spins, and technological gizmos used make it an edge-of-the-seat kind of show. There are a lot of action scenes, but the dialogues also more than hold their weight. A series definitely worth a place in your library of greats.

By Thomas Rajula

